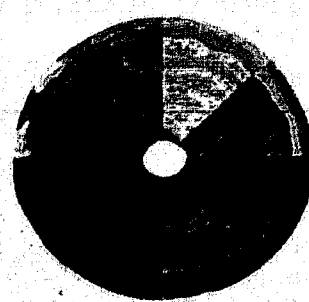




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Now it's your
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Bethel board approves final plan for Maine Mineral and Gem Museum



VIEW FROM MAIN STREET—Architect's rendering of the new museum. Inset: the two existing buildings.

(Photo: M. Daniels)

Louise Dickinson Rich: Reporting from Upton

In her 1942 book, "We Took to the Woods," writer Louise Dickinson Rich wrote about life in the area of her backwoods Rapid River home in Upton. One chapter describes the proceedings at an annual Upton town meeting. The Citizen excerpts it here:

"We got through the electing of the town officers very nicely, since this is largely a matter of re-electing the present incumbents, the most suitable candidate for each office having been determined days ago. Only death can dislodge one. In that event, the office is apt to rotate for a few years until its predestined occupant is discovered, when it again becomes stabilized. The exception is the three selectmen, who, having the most to do, are most liable to censure. But we have a neat system to take care of that. To fill the three positions we have four suitable men. Each year the one in greatest disfavor at the moment is deposed, and the current spare elected to his place. By the following March his crime has been eclipsed by the blacker, newer indiscretions of one of the trio in office, and back he comes. It's a sort of political Musical Chairs. It works out very well ...

"We always have a Fighting Article. Once it was whether the constable should receive a salary of three dollars a year, or whether, instead, the town should buy him a star instead of making him furnish his own. One year it had to do with the licensing of a beer parlor. And once - oh, lovely year of which fables are still told and Rabelaisian quips repeated - it was whether or not the town should appropriate money to hire the services of a bull for the convenience of the cow-owning citizens."

Upton officials take the heat

By ALISON ALOISIO

Upton's first annual town meeting held in the summer was a hot one. About 45 people turned out to debate and/or complain about taxes, the fate of a bridge, a college scholarship and the use of ATVs

on town roads. Voters also ousted an incumbent selectman. The nearly three-hour meeting began with Selectboard Chair Bob Brown providing written information about the effect of ongoing local land acquisition by the Umbagog Wildlife Refuge on Upton taxes.

"If they actually acquire all the land they are looking at, there will be roughly a third of the town left to try and support what it

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LOOKING FOR ANSWERS Jeff Scribner (in corner) asks a question during discussion of town office spending at last Thursday's Upton town Meeting. Flanking him is Town Clerk Michele Bouchard and Treasurer Jim Rector.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

Informational meeting on tar sands oil

By ALISON ALOISIO

The potential for tar sands oil from Canada flowing through pipelines that cross the Androscoggin and Crooked rivers in the Bethel area has prompted environmentalists to hold an informational meeting July 10 at the Bethel Inn.

Among them is local conservation biologist Ken Hotopp, who last year joined protesters in Washington, D.C., objecting to the proposed construction of the Keystone pipeline from Alberta, Canada, to the U.S. Gulf Coast. That pipeline would carry

A recent report from the Natural Resources Defense Council describes tar sands oil as 'like high-pressure liquid sandpaper that can grind and burn its way through the pipe, increasing the chance that weakened pipelines will rupture.'

tar sands oil, which environmentalists describe as acidic, abrasive and carried under higher pressure than regular crude oil. These characteristics, they say, make it more likely to cause pipeline damage and spills.

Now Hotopp and others view activities by the Portland Pipeline Corp., its parent company, and the Canadian pipeline company Enbridge as precursors to bringing tar sands to the U.S. East Coast, by reversing the current direction of flow of the Portland pipeline. The line runs through this area as it carries oil to Montreal from Portland.

That concern led Hotopp and others to author a recent report for the Natural Resources Defense Council entitled, "Going in Reverse: The Tar Sands Threat to Central Canada

and New England."

The report describes tar sands as "like high-pressure liquid sandpaper that can grind and burn its way through the pipe, increasing the chance that weakened pipelines will rupture."

It notes that over a recent three-year period, Midwest American pipelines that carry tar sands oil spilled almost three times more crude oil per mile of pipeline than the U.S. average.

In 2010 an Enbridge line spill in Michigan fouled the Kalamazoo River and Talmadge Creek with 840,000 gallons of tar sands oil.

Portland pipelines Two pipelines, one of them 62 years old, currently carry crude oil 236 miles

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Source to the Sea sets sail Saturday

Hundreds of paddlers are expected to participate in the 17th annual Source to the Sea Trek, 18 day trips from July 6 to Aug. 4 on the Androscoggin River.

Organized by the Androscoggin River Watershed Council, the trek begins with a sunset paddle near Lake Umbagog, the source of the Androscoggin. It meanders through northern New Hampshire and Western Maine, and enters Merrymeeting Bay in Brunswick.

The canoeists are scheduled to reach Bethel Saturday, July 15.

Paddlers may join the trip for one day or many. "It's been 40 years since the Androscoggin served as the inspiration for the

Clean Water Act," Jessie Perkins, organizer of the trek, said. "The progress that has been made is incredible. People are paddling and fishing the entire length of the river, and every year there are new pockets of activity — trails, events, businesses, and more are springing up all over the place."

"Every section has something special — you can see wildlife on every section, even in downtown areas. We are also excited about our Paddle After Hours events, which are shorter, easier evening trips designed for after-work socializing."

Participation is free for

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Letters

SATURDAY EVENTS AT B.F.M.

To the Editor:

This summer the Local Food Connection is enthusiastically supporting our local farmers' markets (Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.). Just this past Saturday when I was there, all the farmers seemed to be doing brisk business. That's great to see! Thanks for buying their products.

Next Saturday, July 7, will be a special Saturday in Bethel with the wonderful Bethel Art Fair taking place on the Common all day. We hope you will also come by the Bethel Farmers' Market where there will be some extra events taking place.

First, Suzanne Dunham of the Dunham Farm and I will spend the morning talking about several garden herbs, their wholesome qualities, and some tasty ways you can use them. Second, Cathi di Coca will demonstrate grilling of local vegetables many of which she will find at the market that day. We will have free samples, and our local farmers also plan to offer these herbs and vegetables for sale.

Farmers' markets are lovely ways for communities to come together, to talk about the food we grow and eat here in Maine, to help local farmers continue their work, and to encourage young farmers to develop thriving businesses. Please come next Saturday for all of these reasons.

Bonnie Pooley
Bethel

THANKS, FIREFIGHTERS

To the Editor:

Last Saturday night there was a fire at our next door neighbor's house on Egypt Mountain Road. After waking up, looking out the window and realizing I wasn't dreaming, we grabbed the dogs and quickly made our escape, as it is a dead-end road with no way of exiting except past the raging fire.

It was extremely scary. The only comfort was seeing how quickly the firefighters and ambulance crews responded. Within minutes of leaving our home the fire trucks were pulling onto Egypt Mountain Road.

We stayed at the end of our road for about an hour until it looked like things had settled down. The fire seemed so out of control when we left that we feared for the safety of our home, but when we came around the corner we could see that the firefighters had it all under control. We were able to watch them work for a bit and it was very impressive. They were organized, focused and dedicated. We just wanted to say "Thank You!" You all did a wonderful job.

Aimee Harmon and Jim Heath, Jr.
Bethel

Trek

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trekkers; however, a voluntary, tax-deductible donation of \$10 is requested to support the nonprofit Watershed Council to offset the costs of organizing the trek. Participants should bring their own paddle-powered boats, appropriate gear and lunch. Shuttling will be arranged by trek organizers.

Many days include an educational component, with speakers on topics that include history, ecology, conservation and economic development in the area. A complete schedule, including maps, section descriptions, special

events, and easy online registration, is available at www.androscogginwatershed.org.

Sponsors for this year's trek include Sunday River Ski Resort, NextEra Energy Resources, Verso Paper of Jay, and Liberty Mutual Insurance, Brookfield Renewable Power.

The nonprofit Androscoggin River Watershed Council was founded in 1999 with a mission to continuously improve environmental quality and promote healthy and prosperous communities in the Androscoggin River Watershed

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The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability. Letters should be limited to 300 words, but that limit will be waived when the situation warrants.

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Hanover trio quick to the prize



2012 MOLLYCOKETT MEDALLION TREASURE HUNT WINNERS—Whitney Ruff, and Megan and Katie Smith, all from Hanover, found the medallion Thursday evening. The three published clues led them to the round, concrete "detention control structure" at the west end of the detention pond located between the eastern ends of Bethel Parkway and the Parkway — on top of which sat the medallion, slid behind the celophane wrapping a pack of Camel cigarettes. If you have access to Google Maps, and go to the area, the detention structure appears as a white dot, close to the short Parkway spur that connects with the Parkway. In their photo the winners are standing on the structure, which is obscured by vegetation during the summer, but easily visible, including to drivers on the Parkway, during the winter.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

Why let the fun end here?

Got clues? Enjoy a tasty dinner.

The Medallion has been found, but three weeks remain until Mollycoddle Day, so The Citizen has decided to turn things on their head and invite our readers to participate in the clue-writing fun (and it is). We invite you to create your own alternative package of the three final clues.

The Medallion's location is now known, and the first three clues set the direction for the hunt. What package of three clues can you come up with to conclude it?

The writer of the packaged judged best will win a \$50 gift certificate to the local restaurant of their choice. The prize will be presented on Mollycoddle Day.

Submissions will be judged on imagination, inventiveness, wit, and their ability to keep readers' eyes focused ever more closely on the prize.

The judge will not know the names of submitters.

Take your time, mull things over, then send or bring your clues to us by Sunday, July 15.

Below are drafts of the three final clues The Citizen had planned to run for this year's contest.

4) When all about's white out, its pedestal stands out.

But when the world greens up, that scene's up.

5) Act out in class and you risk ———.

It's just their way to get your attention.

6) Camels can be a drag, but you'll walk a mile for these.

Celladore

'BDI Comes. Why don't you keep a cow?'

By August the north side grass was exhausted, so we moved them to the south side of the house. Our original plan was to walk them to the barn, leave them there while their house and fence were moved, then walk them to the new location. The geese refused to leave their home. B.B. moved the house first with the tractor. They huddled by the wire fence utterly dejected. We tried to walk with them to the house; they would not go. B.B. pulled up the posts and started rolling up the wire. Suddenly the flock was at his heels, following the rolling wire. When B.B. stopped to rest, they stopped, in a huddle at his feet. When he went on, they followed across the lawn and all the way around the new enclosure.

By now they were huge, white, beautiful birds who extended their necks and greeted us joyfully as we brought their grain. They never bit, never extended their wings. We decided that this neck-extending, hissing procedure was much like a puppy barking and wagging its tail. But if strangers came, they raised a raucous racket. It was impossible to hear a voice until everyone settled down on the porch. Soon they ate all the grass in the new enclosure, but we were not moving them again. When we were home, we let them out to graze about the place.

This they loved, but what a nuisance. They found the horses' watering tubs, splashed in the water just long enough to befoul it. B.B. had to make platforms and set the tubs up higher. They liked our horses, but when others rode in they raced to peck at their hooves. They gathered in a clan around any stranger getting out of a car. I had to walk them back into their pen before any greetings were exchanged. A few brave souls had the fortitude to stand still and talk with them. Then the geese went on their way. Most people were afraid and no wonder.

Eight great geese extending their necks, hissing and gabbling and pressing closer and closer was an experience not many had had. If I went out for a sunbath and to read the paper, they crowded around me and watched the pages turn. If I weeded in the garden they raced to help me. If B.B. was working in the barn, they followed him back and forth as he went to and fro after tools. This devotion was fun as long as all activity was outside.

Inside was another little problem. Geese eat incessantly; have a special section of intestine for grass. Wherever they are, the ground or the floor is covered with green droppings. One day I forgot to watch them. They thoroughly explored the woodshed. I thoroughly cleaned it. We decided that they were old enough now not to be caught by foxes. Why not take them over to the pond in the east field for the middle part of the day? They happily followed us down the road and into the pasture. There they wanted to stop and eat this fresh supply of new grass but by coaxing they came along to the pond.

They ignored the water but played in the mud on the shore. We started back. Halfway across the field we stopped, hearing piteous cries. Here came the eight geese, frantically trying to catch up with us. They preferred humans to mud. That was the end of the pond idea. When we had visiting children, we all went over and picnicked on the bank, but the geese always came back with us.

I saw them eating hops from the vine but this would not hurt them so I left them there. Later I discovered they had chewed off all the big woody stems at the base of the plants. It was not permanent damage as the vines come down each fall and start anew each year, but we lost a month of green swinging vines and shade. They dug out and ate the tuberous begonias, but the year was passing. We could not keep them over the winter as they needed water to splash in; it would freeze in the barn. In late October an early snow fell in the night. I awoke and thought of the geese and wondered if their house would be shelter enough. I went to look; they all sat in the snow cleaning their bills. I took them an extra ration of grain against the cold, but they did not come crowding around the feeder, did not want to wallow in snow, called for me to bring it to them. The snow melted and I worried no more, especially after B.B. reminded me that we slept under down coverlets. At Thanksgiving time, we gave them away — we could not eat our pets.

Our Back Pages

Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: The District Exchange held an open house to celebrate its 10th anniversary.

A thunderstorm with high winds caused considerable damage in Greenwood and Woodstock, downing trees and knocking out power in several areas.

Births: Miles Burroughs Barrett, Timothy James Frongillo, Tristan Connor Rose.

Deaths: Gilbert McPherson, Howard N. Waterhouse, Ralph G. MacArthur, Dale E. Lapham.

20 years ago: The Groan & McGurn screen printing operation was up and running at the former GAMM building in the Airport Industrial Park.

Jody Deegan was honored as supervisor of the year at the Androscoggin Home Health employee recognition ceremony.

Births: Molly Elizabeth Keane, Adrian Elizabeth Baker, Taylor Benjamin Bolen.

Deaths: Myrtle E. Sumner, Dr. Albert P. Royal.

30 years ago: A synchronized swimming class was being held at Bethel Inn under the direction of Wende Frutchy.

Over 50 friends and relatives gathered at Bear River Grange Hall to honor Rodney and Kay Eames on their 40th wedding anniversary.

Birth: John Brice Patrikus.

Deaths: Donald D. Childs, Carl E. Eames, Ralph L. Corkum.

40 years ago: Work was progressing on the relocation of Route 2 between the Barn Motel and the Sunday River Road.

The Cherie Beauty Salon opened in its new location on High Street.

Death: Albert Jonas Galant.

50 years ago: The one-time Stowell buildings above Riverside Cemetery were moved to the Henry Godwin property in Mayville.

The Jaycees Bethel Teen Council sponsored a dance at Gould Academy's parking lot. Lobster Shorey from WRUM was disc jockey.

Births: Paula Ellen Brown, Rosemary McCulloch.

Deaths: Mrs. Ellen Bailey, Mrs. Betty Soule.

60 years ago: Mundt-Allen Post 81 sponsored a July 4th celebration with a parade, band concert and games.

Miss Marie Mills was employed at Pioneer Camps, Bridgton, for the summer.

Deaths: Mrs. Carrie Bartlett, Mrs. Myrtle Brooks Learned, Ramsey Reynolds.

70 years ago: Applicants for canning sugar registered.

Harold Lurvey was injured when thrown from his motorcycle near Paul Thurston's.

Deaths: Miss Gilda Wood, Charles A. Austin.

80 years ago: The Methodist Church was entered the night before the 4th, and much damage was done to the church property.

1,100 pounds of dynamite were used in blasting on the mile of state road being built near Bear Pond, South Waterford.

Deaths: Fred H. Robertson, Austin Leighton, Mrs. Helen Allen, Mrs. Fannie Farmer.

90 years ago: "Eldredge's Black and White Syncopators," an orchestra of four pieces, was formed with Elmer Bean as manager.

100 years ago: Harry Atwood, famous aviator, passed through Bethel on his way to Colebrook, where he would perform on July 4. His plane was towed to Colebrook by automobile.

The Brick-End House, Middle Intervale, was undergoing extensive renovations.

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Museum

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study our collection, and there will be educational resources for kids in the area who may not have had access to a science museum before.

"Nothing exists like it in the state and our goal is to use the two properties we already own under the MMGM LLC, and then build a connector between the two to expand our facilities and our floor footage so that we can show more exhibits and also have more space for research facilities and staff offices."

The new plan includes, in addition to the Kennett Realty building, the former Oddfellow Hall at the corner of Main and Chapman streets, as well as a new building to serve as a link to be built between the two structures.

The project's architect is Jim Reuter of Smith Reuter Lull Architects of Lewiston.

Reuter, a Bethel resident, told the board the design goal of the project was to blend the character of the two existing buildings, as well as the other historical buildings in that part of the village.

Square footage of the two-story museum will be 14,200, with 9,400 from

the existing buildings and 4,800 from the new construction.

The estimated project cost is \$870,000. The Planning Board's "findings of fact" review for the project's performance standards moved briskly, in large part because of thorough documentation in the project's 3/80 of an inch thick application.

Following an hour of deliberations the board signed off on the project, conditional on some minor amendments to the plan.

Following the meeting Schwan said: "We are thrilled to have the Town's approval for our museum project. It means that we can move forward with our plans and start the work necessary to build the connector building within the next few months."

"We're also hard at work getting ready to launch our website, where we will post frequent updates about the project."

"We're looking forward to connecting with the community and getting their help with building our collection, and we'll be actively seeking volunteers later this year."

Oil

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In 2008 Enbridge announced a plan to move tar sands from Alberta to the Texas Gulf Coast by pumping it east to Portland through the PPL line and loading it onto super-tankers, according to the NRDC report. But the project was put aside a year later, after the economic recession hit.

This past winter, a Quebec court denied the Portland line's parent company, Montreal Pipe Line Ltd., a plan to build a pumping station on the Quebec-Vermont border. MPLL did not appeal the decision.

According to a March press release from MPLL, "the pumping station was originally conceived in 2008 to facilitate reversing the flow of an 18-inch pipeline to allow oil to be transported from Montreal to South Portland, Maine. MPLL will communicate with the [Administrative Tribunal of Quebec] to discuss the time frame to move forward when circumstances warrant."

The company said there is no active project at this time, "due to economic and market conditions." A similar statement appears on the Portland Pipeline Corp. website.

Still, recent proposals by Enbridge to reverse the oil flow of some of its own pipelines from east-west to west-east through Ontario (a move the company says will supply refineries in Montreal) have fueled speculation that the Maine line could again be brought into the picture.

The NRDC opposes reversing the PPL flow, favoring instead the development of clean energy sources.

But if tar sands pipeline plans do go forward, the

report said, the Canadian and U.S. governments should thoroughly review applications and consider new safety regulations for tar sands pipelines.

Hotopp said Monday that solvents are added to the tar sands oil to help it move through the pipeline, but that because the solvent components are a "trade secret," the public does not know what they are.

He said that as a result of the Kalamazoo spill, "there have been health impacts. People were sickened."

According to an article in Monday's New York Times, the federal Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration said it would seek a \$3.7 million fine on Enbridge over the Kalamazoo spill.

He said that with other potential pipeline routes out of Alberta currently blocked, "they are looking to us to take the risk of environmental damage."

The July 10 meeting starts at 7 p.m. in the Bethel Inn's Gibson Room.

Portland Pipeline receives award

In April of this year, the Portland Pipeline Corp. received the American Petroleum Institute's Distinguished Safety and Environmental Award in the small pipeline operator category.

According to an API press release, the recognition is the organization's "highest safety and environmental performance award," presented to companies "with a track record of stellar environmental performance." API represents more than 500 oil and natural gas companies, according to the release.

Briefly

Local men aid in Katahdin rescue

BETHEL—The father-and-son team Bob and Yves Baribeau of Bethel were among rescuers who helped in the technical rescue of an exhausted, hypothermic hiker on Mt. Katahdin June 24. Bob Baribeau said they had initially gone to the area the night before to help with a diabetic hiker in distress. On Saturday night hiker Chet Rubackis, 68, was descending the mountain when he became too tired to continue. His companion notified park authorities. Baribeau said when rescuers reached him about 4 a.m., he was so cold he could not move his legs. "We set up a tent for him and took off his wet clothes, and gave him tea," said Baribeau. Due to wind and rain, the rescuers themselves joined the hiker in the tent for a time. They then brought him down the mountain, using a rescue basket and in places, ropes. The team arrived at the base of the mountain at about 11 a.m. Rubackis was taken to a local hospital. "It's remarkable that he's alive," said Baribeau.

CORRECTION

CASINO NAME—The name of the new casino in Oxford was listed incorrectly in a story in last week's Citizen. The name is the Oxford Casino.

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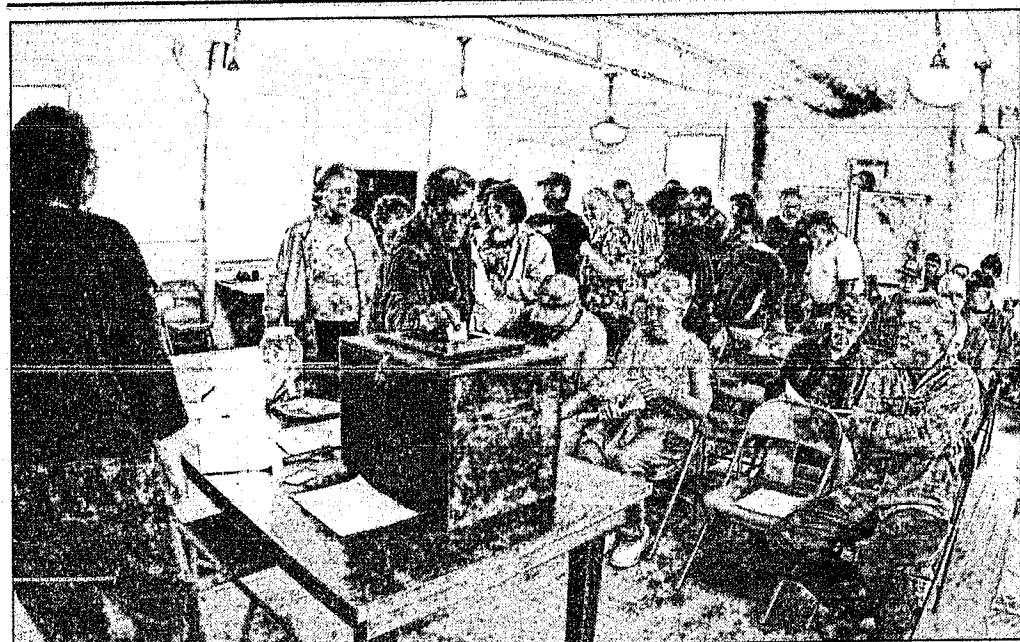
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Upton

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PROCESSION TO THE BALLOT BOX—Last Thursday's annual town meeting in Upton drew a large crowd. Here, Robert Anderson casts his ballot, in a scene that appears not to have changed much from the days of Louise Dickinson Rich, in the 1930s: "When we arrived a half an hour before the meeting was called to order, everyone in the township who could stand on his feet was present at the big, bare town hall, perched on top of Upton Hill ... The votes were written on slips of paper brought from home — no sense in wasting the taxpayers' money on printed ballots — and a straggling procession started for the ballot box, over which the moderator and clerk stood to insure an honest vote."

(Photo: A. Alaisio)

is we have to support," he said, and taxes would go up.

He asked residents to consider the information on the handout.

Business then turned to election of town officials.

Incumbent Selectman Marie Aron was defeated by Wanda Hall, 21-17.

Incumbent Town Clerk Michelle Bouchard retained her position by defeating challenger Laurie Brown, 21-16.

Bouchard was replaced on the School Committee (she declined to run again) by Pat Kenyon, who defeated Heather Zybas 17-14.

Charlotte Dominique was elected unopposed as tax collector to replace Jim Rector, who was re-elected unopposed as treasurer.

As residents later worked their way through municipal spending articles, Jeff Scribner several times demanded details on expenses. "My tax bill reflects doubling," he

said as voters discussed town office expenses. He said town officials were not providing enough information on how town money is being spent.

Rector said the town office expenses proposed for 2013 were very similar to the current year, and other officials said a recent revaluation had caused some residents' taxes to jump last year.

Brown added that because the town meeting now takes place six months before the beginning of the next fiscal year and expenses are therefore harder to predict, town officials must allow more "buffer" funds. He said if residents did not vote money to fix a bridge under an upcoming article, the mill rate would likely go down.

Townpeople eventually approved all the municipal-spending articles, as well as school budget articles.

The items prompting

the most intense debate were near the end of the 43-article warrant.

Several residents were not happy that officials did not provide written information to go with proposals to change the town building ordinance. One wanted to table the issue to a later meeting.

Planning Board Chairman Joe Bernier explained that a public hearing had been held on the changes, and was lightly attended. He said the changes were not major, and that the town was not proposing to adopt the Maine Uniform Building and Energy Code. Voters then approved the ordinance changes.

An article to allow the use of town roads by ATVs to access ATV trails was approved, after modifications.

A provision that would have given selectmen authority to revoke the permission if the privilege was misused was dropped. Bernier, presi-

dent of the Letter B Notch Riders, said if a town meeting granted permission, another town meeting should be required to revoke it.

Mike Lewit objected to a proposed time limitation of 7 a.m. and 9 p.m. "I got a problem with that," he said. "If someone wants to get up in the morning and go fishing at 4 a.m., you're restricted, and you can't take your four-wheeler at 4 a.m. this time of the year, when it's light already."

After more debate, voters eventually approved a simply-worded version, allowing use subject to Maine state guidelines, with no time restrictions.

Bridge

Two options for dealing with the deteriorating Dead Cambridge Bridge at the end of Mill Road set off a debate between bridge abutters and several townspeople.

Replacing the bridge would cost \$1 million, an option no one seriously considered. The other choices: do a 10-year fix that would still require a load limit on the structure, or give the bridge to the abutters.

Lewit said abutters restricted use of the bridge, and there was little point in the town owning it if residents could not use it. He claimed that during the winter, abutters put up a barrier to prevent others from crossing. And, he said, "You can't go down there and fish, without getting kicked out."

"There's nothing, for forever, that anybody has been able to go across there for, and we're being told that it's not a private bridge."

Diane Williamson, the daughter of abutter Ginny Williamson, said her family had never prevented anyone from going onto the bridge.

"We have never stopped people from going on the

bridge," she said, noting that people drive over it and turn around, and others walk over it and look at the water. "What they can't do, is come down and start fishing from our land." She added that one year someone had come into their yard "and made a heck of a mess."

Williamson suggested if selectmen were going to propose discontinuing use of the bridge by the town, that they make an overall plan for other roads.

She noted that Back Street serves only one family. "Discontinue all the roads in Upton. Don't start picking on one family," she said.

Williamson said her family had only learned of the bridge proposal when the meeting warrant came out, and would need to consult a lawyer about the possible liability of owning the bridge. Ginny Williamson said she was not interested in owning it.

Diane Williamson also addressed earlier comments about property owners selling their land to the wildlife refuge.

"If you do this to people so they can't use their land, so they can't get to it and log it, what is not our incentive to sell out to the refuge?" she asked.

Another resident suggested postponing a decision in order to try to get a cheaper fix for the bridge.

But the question was abruptly called, and voters then approved the short-term repair work by a 19-14 count.

Scholarship

In the final hot topic of the evening, voters defeated a petition-initiated article to broaden the definition of how residents could qualify for the town's college scholarship, which pays \$1,000 a year to qualified students.

The article, submitted by Bouchard, proposed a scholarship for students under 21 who have received a diploma or credential recognized by the state, and who attain a first-semester college GPA of 2.5 or more. She cited GEDs and home-schooling as alternate ways to qualify.

She said she had asked for the article a year ago, "but I don't have the ear of the selectmen like some people do in town, so I had to go [the petition] route."

Aron said that selectmen had originally set up the scholarship "as a reward for kids who traveled every day to get to school, worked hard, did extra-curricular activities, not just quit."

"This is not what it was set up for. We voted it in as a reward for graduating students."

Bouchard said home-schooling and GED programs are the equivalent of a diploma.

The new scholarship plan, she said, "is a reward for doing well in college."

But Brown said there was a problem with the clarity of the article. He said he had checked with the Maine Municipal Association and was advised that the article's wording did not sufficiently clarify the definition of "post-secondary" education.

"It's too open," added Laurie Brown.

Lewit also said he was concerned that students who had earned a GED could move to Upton "and we'd be on the hook" for a scholarship. He also said the wording of the article implied a new scholarship would be set up, instead of simply altering the existing one.

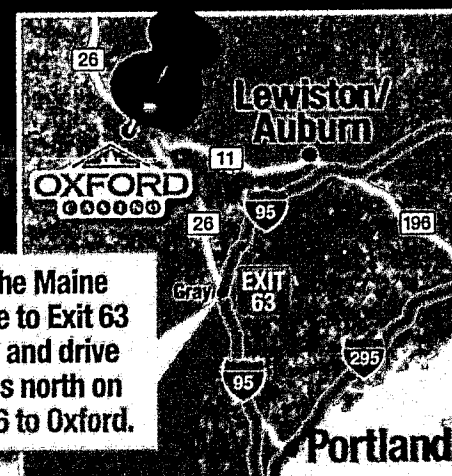
Voters defeated the article.

The meeting was moderated by Wendy Hanscom.

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Bethel

BY DON BENNETT



Norseman Inn and Motel along with the Rostay have WiFi, a must have amenity now for lodging businesses. From bathrooms, to private bathrooms, to television and now wireless Internet - that's travelers progress

in the automobile age.

Rotary Auction - Impressive results from last week's Rotary Club yard sale and auction. Total for the day was over \$14,000 with about \$8,500 from the yard sale and about \$5,500 from the auction.

At Big Adventure - the water slide is open.

Business Report - At the Farmers' Market - The Lobster Boys reported 48 lobsters sold, 23 boxes

of strawberries 16 pounds of clams, 30 pounds of had-dock, and 10 pounds of scallops; this was a big pick-up over previous week's. John Carter's specials on hamburger meat made this his best product; he also has inch and one-half thick Angus steaks. Vegetables Dance best sellers were peas and beet greens.

Next week Cynthia Flores will be equipped to handle sales that accept SNAP benefits. SNAP (Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program) which has replaced the Food Stamp Program. With help from a grant from Western Mountain Alliance, Vegetables Dance has the terminal necessary to transact this type of sale.

Also next week and on the first Saturday of each month there will be cooking classes at the Farmers' Market.

At the Abbott Farm stand this week's big seller was strawberries then maple syrup. The Northern Lights Farm from Upton had cinnamon rolls as their big seller when I checked 13 of 14 pans of rolls had been sold. And last but not least Gene Kelly had sold 23 Puzzle Mt. Pies.

New faces at this week's market - Meadow Ridge Perennial Farm from Hebron. Their best seller was cut daisies and sun-loving plants. About as native as you can get the farm specializes in locally grown perennials.

More business please Tuesday evening, June 26, the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce held what amounted to a shareholders' meeting. Dr. Bill Strauss chaired the meeting and he also chairs the Chamber's planning task force. About 35 chamber members and interested citizens attended this very interesting two-hour gathering.

With the flip-charts and breakout sessions one might have thought it was an NTL lab. After the full group offered a number of suggestions of ways to improve business and marketing, the chairman broke the group into three

sections to brainstorm answers to three specific topics: Marketing and branding, how to increase chamber membership and how to improve local business overall.

From the general session came three pages of suggested actions which might boost Bethel business. Some of these were: Market what we have/ how are we unique? Work with State Government to obtain better signage/promote Bethel. Explore integration (for business) with town planning. Encourage business recruitment/seek people who value our area. Create a set of boundaries for promotion. Promotion of non-tourism industries.

In the breakout sessions, discussions of branding, chamber organization and mission and how to get more business elaborated on the ideas suggested by the main group.

One suggestion was to create a distinct Internet presence for Bethel. There are probably more Bethels in the United States than any other named entity towns, churches and colleges. So from this discussion came the question what is our Bethel's model? One answer was Stowe, Vt., and another suggestion was link our best features with those of Ogunquit so that people seeking art and scenery for instance would have Bethel included near the top in a Google listing.

The most often expressed economic need for Bethel is jobs. In fact in the town's sign ordinance complaint hearing in May, a lady attending the hearing pointed out that she had to travel 1,400 to 1,600 miles to see her sons because they could not find satisfactory employment in Bethel.

Mineral Museum

At last week's planning board meeting, Museum Director Gena Schwam presented the museum's amended site plan for its now two adjoining installations in Bethel. Ms. Schwam was assisted by architect James Reuter. Key feature of the amendment was the addition of

the former Odd Fellows Hall to the museum's establishment.

Other business transacted by the Board at Wednesday's meeting included action on three sign requests and approving an amendment to the site plan for the Timber Creek subdivision which involved an internal boundary adjustment.

Sign permit applications were from Homeslice Pizza, Town of Bethel (for Davis Park) and from the INNside Shop, which is located in the annex of Holidae House. Signs for INNside Shop and Davis Park were approved. Since the Homeslice Pizza sign would be inside the building, it was not a sign according to the terms of Bethel's Sign Ordinance.

Open House at Artistic Endeavors

Friday at 171 Main Street a special showing of pastel art by Mary Isham was the reason for a steady stream of visitors to make their way to the Artistic Endeavors new gallery and framing center. Mrs. Isham was on hand to greet the guests and chat with them. Much of her work captures scenes from nature such as Screw Auger Falls Picnic, fall scenes and a graphite sketch of a Goss Pond scene. Besides framed pieces there was a fine assortment of her work in unframed panels that would make excellent gifts - most being based on locations in the general Bethel area.

Mr. Millard has finished the conversion of an apartment at 171 Main to a studio, gallery and work area for his framing business. Some of his guests got a chuckle out of his display-

ing Walter Clark pictures in the bathroom. Walter would have liked that. His beautifully done pencil drawing of Hanscom Hall hung directly over the toilet.

Although smaller in overall size compared to its previous location, Artistic Endeavors has a friendlier, cozy feel to it which adds a lot of at-home charm to the art work on display. And Mr. Millard now has a nice kitchen from which he can serve coffee to his visitors.

Sunday River Yard Sale

About two-thirds of the South Ridge main parking area was filled with yard sale setups Saturday morning. Sunday River opened its summer season on Friday with Scenic Lift Rides, Zipline and Mountain Bike Park operations and the Biggest Yard Sale in Western Maine.

My grandson and I arrived late, not getting there until after noon-time. Our neighbor, Kate Carroll, who was tending a table of yard sale moveables said the kick-off event seemed to go well and many sales were made early on. Some tables fared better than others.

Ashton and I picked out three or four notable possibilities - one was a half bike that could be attached to a full-size one for young riders, there was a set of ZIPPY sleds for only \$5 each - great for a really thrilling top to bottom ride on ski trails and a set of two diaper champ disposers and best of all - a Rock Band set for only \$20.

OCSD Bethel Patrol Log**Wednesday, June 27**

At 3:23 p.m. Capt. Hart Daley did a background investigation for a concealed weapon permit on the Flat Road.

At 3:33 p.m. Cpl. Chancey Libby and Deputy Chris Davis responded to Main Street for a report of a theft of property that had been stored last fall.

Thursday, June 28

At 9:40 p.m. on Church Street Deputy Mike Halacy arrested Emily M. White, 30, of Poland for OUI.

Friday, June 29

At 12:46 p.m. Capt. Hart Daley did a background check for a concealed weapon on the Intervale Road.

At 1:58 p.m. a subject reported a vehicle on Mason Street that may have illegally attached plates. Deputy Chris Davis was assigned.

At 3:44 p.m. a subject reported he had come across a truck on fire on the Mayville Road. Deputy Dave Hodgson responded.

Saturday, June 30

At 5:46 a.m. a caller on the East Bethel Road asked to talk with a deputy regarding a friend who may have been involved in a domestic assault the day before. The friend did not want to talk to an officer and would not disclose any assault had taken place.

At 7:42 p.m. on Route 26 Cpl. Brian Landis arrested Candi L. Mailman, 32, of Bethel for disorderly conduct.

Sunday, July 1

At 12:29 a.m. Deputy Matt Noyes responded to the Mayville Road for a truck/pole accident. Both passengers were out of the vehicle. The pole was snapped.

Monday, July 2

At 3:29 p.m. a caller reported a possible identity theft. Cpl. Brian Landis was assigned.

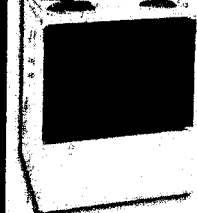
At 4:12 p.m. a report was received of a property-damage accident on Railroad Street. Cpl. Brian Landis was assigned.

Oxford County Jail Log:

(Bethel region)

June 30, 8:13 p.m.: Candi Mailman, 32, of Greenwood, disorderly conduct, by Cpl. Brian Landis on Route 26 in Bethel.

July 1, 1:39 a.m.: Bruce E. Thibeault, 43, of Uxbridge, Mass., OUI, by Deputy Matt Noyes on Mayville Road in Bethel.

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Bethel

By NANCY BROWN



Doris Fraser celebrated her 89th birthday on Saturday, June 30, with a lawn party at her home in Bethel.

On Sunday, July 15, the Bethel United Methodist Church is doing a pulpit exchange with the Middleboro, Mass., United Methodist Church. Bethel's Pastor Carol Stevens will preach in Middleboro and Rev. Ernie Farrar from Middleboro will do the service here in Bethel. Rev. Farrar is a native of Rumford and was previously the pastor at the Dering United Methodist Church in South Paris. Everyone is invited to attend the service, which begins at 9 a.m.

The American Red Cross desperately needs blood. Donations are down 10 percent, resulting in 50,000 less pints of blood than the Red Cross expected to have in July. We have a chance to help close this gap.

On Wednesday, July 18, from 2 to 7 p.m., there will be a blood drive at the Telstar High School Gym. The event is sponsored by the Parrott Head Club of the Northern Tropics. Maine residents who donate blood during July will receive a Red Sox t-shirt in honor of Fenway Park's 100th birthday. To schedule an appointment for the July 18 drive, you can call 1-800-Red-Cross or go to the website www.redcrossblood.org. If you can't make it on July 18, call the Red Cross for other locations.

Supporters of the Bethel Dog Park are not meeting tonight, July 5, because of the July 4 holiday.

The next meeting will be Thursday, July 19, at 6 p.m. at the Mahosuc Land Trust on Route 2 next door to the Crossroads Diner.

If you have news you'd like to share, call me at 824-2483 or e-mail nancybrown1150@yahoo.com.

East Bethel

By WALLY RITZ



Last Saturday Kim Shannon and his wife stopped in to see me at the INNside Shop and also to see what we have for sale there. He told me that since 1998 his cancer is in remission for the third time. He also had to have knee surgery recently, but think it didn't work, as he still has pain and it just doesn't feel right. He was wondering if anyone else in the neighborhood has a severe slug problem this year? Says even the driveway is loaded with them after it rains. They have also been seeing and feeding a lot of red-breasted gross beaks and even purple finches.

I hope to hear a lot of news about your 4th of July celebrations. Call me at 824-3220 or e-mail han@megalink.net. It seems there have been a lot of complaints about fireworks going off. Hopefully, folks familiarized themselves with all the rules concerning safety which go along with the legal use of fireworks.

Now I'd like to share journalist Russell Baker's reflection on summer, "Ah, summer, what power you have to make us suffer and like it." How true, isn't it?

In closing, I'd like to extend my sympathy to the family and friends of Cindy Coolidge. East Bethel sure has been losing many wonderful neighbors in recent months. We remember and miss them all dearly.

Have a great week.

Gilead

By LIN CHAPMAN



The month of July has arrived with some nice summer weather. It is hard to believe that 2012 is half gone already!

My brother, Steve McLain, has been working on his garden this past

week. We were discussing making the old-fashioned mustard pickles. We hope that between the two of us, we will have enough cucumbers to make some pickles for everyone.

Steve and Lise McLain received a phone call this past weekend from their son, Joe McLain, who lives in Montana.

Hugh and I went to Gorham, N.H., last Saturday and stopped to see Tim and Michele and the grandkids, William, Annie, Ajay and Sidney. Tim was at the house, but Michele and the kids had gone swimming, so we stopped and watched them for awhile.

Well, I went back to work last Monday after a two-week vacation from SAD 44 Adult Education. We work throughout the summer because we have several students who are completing their GED. They hope to finish before Adult Ed Graduation on Aug. 2. It has been ten years since Cathy Newell retired as the Adult Education Director and Jean Waite took over. Jeanie and I decided that we needed to celebrate the fact that we had worked together for ten years. We went out to the S.S. Milton for lunch. The chicken salad was delicious!

Gilead Historical Society Most everyone seems to have recovered from Friends and Family Day.

We received several good reports that those who attended enjoyed themselves. We will decide at the Annual Meeting in September what we will do next year. We are always looking for ideas.

Hugh has been busy working with the electricians to get the building ready for CMP to hook up the lights. The chimney should be done before too long.

There were quite a few positive comments on the paintings that Marina McLain did. Marina, who is seventeen years old, is the daughter of Stephen and "Peachy" McLain, III, the granddaughter of Steve and Lise McLain, Jr. and the great-granddaughter

of the late Stephen and Mildred McLain, Sr. Marina did the Railroad Station painting from pictures that her father took when he visited in May. The Town Hall was done a couple of years ago and depicts the Hall as it looked at the Bicentennial Celebration. When building renovations are done, these paintings will hang in the station and school. Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com

Andover

By JANE RICH



Dick Merrill, Sno Valley Snow Goers President, announced last week that the club has received a federal RTP grant in the amount of \$16,500. The funds will be used to repair .5 miles of damage to ITS 82 caused by hurricane Irene. Washouts will be put back in shape and three bridges will be built. This trail is a multi-purpose trail used by ATVs and the Ellis River Riders as well as the snowmobile club.

Owner of the East Andover Post Office, Laura Hutchins, has had a shadow box built for posters concerning activities of interest to the general public since they can no longer be posted in the post office building. The box is adjacent to the post office building. The People In Action group which is made up of Food Pantry workers announces there will be a chicken luncheon on July 17 at 12 noon in the CEB. Anyone in need of a meal is invited to attend, particularly our Senior Citizens.

A reminder to those traveling from Wyman Hill to the village that the Abbott Brook bridge will be closed for repairs on July 10 starting at 7 a.m. Andover Yard Sale Days last Friday and Saturday were well attended at the central site in the village and at home locations,

which included North and South Main streets and Farmer's Hill.

Upton

By JOE BERNIER



The Ladies Aid Association has some vendor sites available for Upton Fun Day. The sites are \$10 for non-members and \$5 for members.

One of the activities they have planned for Fun Day is a quilt exhibition and contest. The Ladies will serve breakfast Sunday, July 8, from 8 to 11 a.m. They have reserved a vendor site at The Upton House yard sale; one of the items they will offer is a "Treasure Chest Raffle." The value of the items in the Treasure Chest is close to \$200.

The Upton Historical Society will meet only once more before Fun Day (1 p.m., July 29, in the school). Please try to attend this meeting to help with the plans and schedules for their part of the festivities. Anyone interested in joining the parade should e-mail Lou at electrotoys@yahoo.com. This year's parade theme is "Logging, Past and Present." At last count, there were only 4 (four) tickets available for the tour of the historic homes of Louise Dickinson Rich.

The tour will take place Saturday, July 14. To purchase a ticket or to request more information please call Charlotte, 533-2061 or e-mail pepldom@megalink.net.

The Letter B Notch Riders will meet Sunday, July 8, 9 a.m. in the Upton House.

The Upton House will hold its annual Charity Yard Sale July 6, 7, and 8. The proceeds go to the Religious of Jesus and Mary Haiti Missions. They are teachers in the poor areas of Haiti. It may yet be possible to reserve a vendor site, e-mail pepldom@megalink.net or call 533-2061 to inquire about a site or to receive more information.

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The Annual Upton Town Meeting took place Thursday, June 28. The meeting lasted nearly 3 (three) hours. It was at times quite intense. I wish the best to the newly elected town officials.

Penny and I are accustomed to seeing deer, moose, bears and other wild animals in our fields, but it was strange to see a cow happily grazing under the apple trees. I believe it has been more than 50 years since one has done that.

Call 533-2010 or e-mail backstjoe@gmail.com with your news, thank you.

Locke's Mills

By BETSEY FOSTER



Despite numerous verbal complaints to the town of

fice about fireworks, the Greenwood Selectmen are momentarily at a standstill on the issue.

Town Manager Kim Sparks said that while they discussed the complaints at a recent meeting, no ideas were put forth. She said Selectman Amy Chapman would like more information (always a good idea), Selectman Arnie Jordan is on the fence, and Selectman Fred Henderson wondered what could be done. Much can be done. The town can take action to control the free-for-all approach to fireworks. Numerous towns have.

(The Selectmen's meeting July 3 was too late for this column. Will let you know next week what is transpiring.)

If you have concerns about the current status of fireworks, please write your concerns to Town Manager Sparks at either: kimsparke@roadrunner.com or Greenwood Town Office, 9 Bird Hill Road, Greenwood, ME 04255. Verbal complaints do not seem to be carrying much weight.

2011 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

Bethel Water District

Bethel, Maine
PWSID ME0090160

We're pleased to present to you our Annual Drinking Water Quality Report, also known as the Consumer Confidence Report. This report, a requirement of the 1996 amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, is designed to inform you about the quality of water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water.

WATER SOURCE

Our water source comes from five drilled groundwater wells located in Bethel ranging from 36-40 feet in depth. The wells are treated with chlorine to protect from possible bacterial contaminants and fluoride to promote dental health. Our system serves a population of 1,405 customers through 656 service connections.

SOURCE WATER ASSESSMENT

The Maine Drinking Water Program (DWPP) has evaluated all public water supplies as part of the Source Water Assessment Program (SWAP). The assessments included geology, hydrology, land uses, water testing information, and the extent of land ownership or protection by local ordinance to see how likely our drinking water source is to be contaminated by human activities in the future. Assessment results are available at public water suppliers, town offices, and the DWPP. For more information about the SWAP, please contact the DWPP at telephone 207-287-2070.

Waiver Information

Current waiver information: 1/1/2010-12/31/2012

In 2010 our system was granted a "Synthetic Organics Waiver." This is a three year exemption from the monitoring/reporting requirements for pesticides, herbicides, fungicides and other industrial chemicals. This waiver was granted due to the absence of these potential sources of contamination within half a mile of the water source.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water system, please contact Lucien Roberge, Superintendent, or Donald Kalin, Assistant Superintendent, at telephone number 207-824-2342 or mailing address PO Box 104, Bethel, ME 04217. If you want to learn more, please attend any of our regularly scheduled meetings. They are held on the third Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. at the Bethel Town Office Meeting Room on Main Street.

WATER QUALITY

Bethel Water District routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. The following table shows any detection resulting from our monitoring for the period of January 1st to December 31st, 2011.

The sources of drinking water include rivers, lakes, ponds and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and radioactive material and can pick up substances resulting from human or animal activity. All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man made. Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.

Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, can be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.

Pesticides and herbicides may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses.

Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.

Radioactive contaminants can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

The table below lists all of the drinking water contaminants that were detected through out water quality monitoring and testing. The presence of contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk.

Bethel Water District had no violations in 2011

TEST RESULTS						
Unless otherwise noted, testing was done in 2011.						
Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Microbiological Contaminants						
Total Coliform Bacteria (TCB) (1) (2011)	N	0 positive	Highest monthly # of positive samples	0 positive	1 positive	Naturally present in the environment
Radioactive Contaminants						
Radium (2) (12/12/99)	N	460	pCi/L	n/a	4,000	Naturally occurring radioactive gas in bedrock.
Inorganic Contaminants						
Boron (6/20/11)	N	0.0048	ppm	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (6/20/11)	N	0.65	ppb	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (4) (12/01/11-6/30/11)	N	0.13	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems
Fluoride (3) (12/11)	N	0.97	ppm	4	4	Water additive which promotes strong teeth.
Lead (4) (12/01/11-6/30/11)	N	7	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems
Nitrate [as Nitrogen] (5) (6/20/11)	N	0.35	ppm	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits

Selenium (3/1/09)	N	10	ppb	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
* = Reported results are the 90th percentile value (the value that 90% of all samples are less than).						
Disinfection By-Products						
HAA5 (Total Haloacetic Acids)	N	RAA = ND (single sample)	ppb	0	60	By-product of drinking water chlorination
THM (9) (2011) (Total Trihalomethanes)	N	RAA 3.2 (single sample)	ppb	0	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Initial Distribution System Evaluation (IDSE) Data**						
Contaminant	Level Detected	Unit Measurement	Likely Source of Contamination			
HAA5 (Total Haloacetic Acids)	RAA = 0.0 (0.0)	ppb	By-product of drinking water chlorination			
THM (Total Trihalomethanes)	RAA = 4.217 (0.0-9.9)	ppb	By-product of drinking water chlorination			

**In 2009, under the EPA Stage 2 Disinfection By-Products Rule (DBPR) our water system was required to conduct an Initial Distribution System Evaluation (IDSE). The IDSE is a one-time evaluation to determine the levels of disinfection byproducts (THM & HAA) in the distribution system for future regulation. Disinfection byproducts are the result of the disinfection of your drinking water. They form when the disinfectant (chlorine) combines with naturally occurring organic matter in the water. The IDSE was not used for compliance purposes by the Maine Drinking Water Program, and test results were not required to meet the MCL of 60 ppb for HAA and 80 ppb for THM.

Note: The state allows us to monitor for some contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. Not all contaminants are tested for every year due to sampling volume and therefore we must use the most recent round of sampling. Some of our data is more than one year old, however, it related to no older than 5 years.

Definitions:

Action Level (AL) - The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) - is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) - is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum Residual Disinfection Level (MRDL) - The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

Maximum Residual Disinfection Level Goal (MRDLG) - The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

Not Applicable (N/A) - Does not apply

Running Annual Average (RAA) - The average of all monthly or quarterly samples for the last year at all sample locations.

Treatment Technique (TT) - A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water (e.g. treatment technique for turbidity).

Variances, Exemptions, and Waivers - State or EPA permission not to meet an MCL, a treatment technique or test for a given contaminant under certain conditions.

Units:

Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

Parts per billion (ppb) or micrograms per liter (µg/L) - One part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Parts per million (ppm) or milligrams per liter (mg/L) - One part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Becquerels per liter (Bq/L) - A measure of the radioactivity in water.

Notes:

Barium: Some people who drink water containing barium in excess of the MCL over many years could experience an increase in their blood pressure.

Fluoridation: A target fluoride level of 0.7 mg/L and a control range of 0.5-1.2 mg/L for those systems that fluoridate the water.

Nitrate: Nitrate in drinking water at levels above 10 ppm is a health risk for infants less than six months of age. High nitrate levels in drinking water can cause blood baby syndrome. Nitrate levels may rise quickly for short periods of time because of rainfall or agricultural activity. If you are caring for an infant you should ask advice from your health care provider.

Radon: The State of Maine adopted a Maximum Exposure Guideline (MEG) for Radon in drinking water at 4000 pCi/L, effective 1/1/07. If Radon exceeds the MEG in water, treatment is recommended. It is also advisable to test indoor air for Radon. The U.S. EPA is proposing setting federal standards for Radon in public drinking water.

Total Coliform Bacteria: Reported as the highest monthly number of positive samples, for water systems that take < 60 samples per month.

THM/HAA5: Total Trihalomethanes (THM) and Haloacetic Acids (HAA5) are formed as a by-product of drinking water chlorination. This chemical reaction occurs when chlorine combines with naturally occurring organic matter in water.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Since our system chlorinates its water, we are required to report our annual average for chlorine residual. Chlorine Residual was found to be 0.26 ppm, with a range of 0.22 ppm to 0.41 ppm.

As you can see by the table, our system had no violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets all Federal and State requirements. The EPA has determined that your water IS SAFE at these levels.

All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

For most people, the health benefits of drinking plenty of water outweigh any possible health risk from these contaminants. However, some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/Center of Disease Control (CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. We are responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for thirty (30) seconds to two (2) minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

We, at Bethel Water District, work hard to provide top quality water to every tap. We ask that all our customers help us protect and preserve our drinking water resources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life, and our children's future. Please contact us with any questions. Thank you for working together for safe drinking water.

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Greenwood Fire Chief Al Curtis stated that fireworks are not allowed after 10 p.m. except on July 4 or New Years (it is 12:30 a.m. on those dates). If there are fireworks problems after those times, he said to call 911 as well as let the town office know.

There may be hope for an Internet connection for the Greenwood Highway Department. Jeff McCarthy, Maine Fiber Optics, presented a contract for service to the selectmen. It would provide service only to the highway department and cost about \$85 a month after an initial \$3,000 fee. Selectmen are trying to resolve a Workmen's Compensation concern with the contract before moving forward.

Bertha and Doug Grover returned to the Selectmen's meeting regarding the junkyard request for their Rowe Hill property. They are asking if it would be possible to obtain a hobbyist permit for the car parts they collect. Sparks said the town is checking with the town's attorney to see if they would qualify. The Grovers have 180 days to clean up their property.

Sparks said issues with the Henley junkyard on Snowmaking Pond Lane have been turned over to the town's attorney for action since other measures have not worked to remedy the problem.

The Planning Board denied a residential home permit application by Bruce Connor (one of the burned residences on Main Street) because he had exceeded the time requirement to apply to rebuild. The denial will be going to the Greenwood Appeals Board based on hardship by Connor.

Bear sightings around here continue. Sue and Dave Perham were sitting on their porch and saw a bear wandering up from their boat house on Round Pond. He continued on his way paying no attention to them. On South Pond a

bear swam by John Swinton when he was out fishing in his canoe. It is good to know the wild animals are here with us.

Also here with us are the fireflies. Go out some night once it gets dark and you'll see these interesting insects (a type of beetle) glowing in the tall grass and up in the trees. Watching the fireflies is to take a trip back in time to childhood when we would catch them in jars.

Carol Savage reported seeing a young moose lazily in the water at Round Pond. The merlins have hatched one youngster which is flying about begging the mother merlin to be fed. She appears to be trying to avoid this pesky youngster and encourage him to get his own food.

You can send me news at staichis6@gmail.com

Waterford

By ROCKIE GRAHAM



The day dawns muggy but not yet hot. That will happen in a few more hours when the sun gets high. The weekend was harsh, except for those who were on or in the river and at the many beautiful Maine beaches. Those of us at the Transfer Station were hot. But Sadie was with us and that made it easier.

No bears this week. Hopefully they have found enough berries now and do not need to raid backyards.

Condolences go out to the family of Raymond Bliss. Raymond passed last week.

Thursday, July 5, ACA will meet at the Waterford Library at 10 a.m. It is a discussion group and new members are welcome. FMI please call 739-9115.

Thursday, the 5th, in Norway there is a Community Table dinner at the Progress Center at 35 Cottage Street from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Donations. FMI 739-6180.

Saturday, the 7th, the Bethel Art Fair on the Bethel Common. 70 Artists will be showing and there will be crafts and entertainments. 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. FMI 824-3575.

There will also be the Shy, Novice and Closeted Art Show. If interested please call 824-2889.

Next Thursday, the 12th Poets on the Porch will hold their 10-year readings during the Norway Arts Festival. Because it is the tenth year it will be a little more formal and attendees will have a chance to take home poems of each poet who reads. FMI please call 743-9808.

That is all for this week. Hope you had a great and safe Fourth and are on to a smashing summer.

Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT



The 100th DUVCW convention was held in Waterville on Saturday, June 23. Nine members from Judith Grover tent 17 attended. Three past national officers were present, one past national president, six past department presidents and four 50 years or older members. Department President Elsie Bonney had a very nice convention. Plans are to meet in the same place next year on Saturday, June 29.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday school at 9:15; morning worship at 10:30; evening service at 6; prayer meeting on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. On Tuesday, June 26 several traveled to Bridgton New Heights Baptist Church to help with a tent meeting they were holding. Remember Vacation Bible School will be Aug. 6 through 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. Judith Grover tent 17 DUVCW will meet on Monday

evening, July 9. They will meet at the Grange Hall and travel to Bethel to visit the gravesite of Judith Grover whom the tent was named for.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will meet on Thursday (today) July 5 at the Grange Hall. There will be a dinner by the Grange and the program by Hugh (Cubby) Swan.

The Woodstock Historical Society will meet on July 14 at the Museum, starting with a 6 p.m. potluck supper. The Museum is now open on Saturdays from 1 to 4 p.m.

So. Woodstock

By LOLALEE DILLINGHAM



Celebrating the 10th year of the Annual Skunk Run on Saturday, July 28 (Motorcycle Run rain date July 29). Motorcycle registration will begin at 9 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Motorcycle departure will be at 11 a.m. New this year (and only this year) \$30 per person (everyone including the driver, rider, adults, and children). You will receive 1-10th. annual tee-shirt, 1- motorcycle-run, 1 Pig and turkey roast, live music by the Road Kingz.

The Run route has changed for only this year as of now. The Run for 2012 will go from the same starting point (American Legion Hall/ Locke Mills) and travel to Bethel, then thru Harrison, Norway, and South Paris and back to Locke Mills Legion Hall for roast and music. Excited to announce the Platinum Sponsor, The Lake Store, Norway; Gold Sponsor, American Legion Post 68, Hair & Company, Norway Savings Bank, Rob Elliot Trucking, S.A. Morgan & Sons Trucking. There is still time to become a Sil-

ver Sponsor (money due by July 6, 2012).

Anniversary wishes going out to Randy and Rachael Wilday, Ken and Laurie Hadley, Jack and Linnie Roberts.

Celebrating June birthdays are Kenny Wilson, Jerry Verrill, Marguerite Verrill, Kim Hadley, Kevin Roberts, Joel Roberts, Lonnie Hadley, Elaine Wilday, Kevin Hobson, Ethan Hobson, Gary Parlin, Pam Poland, Marie Heino, Jane Hathaway, Phil House, Connie Fletcher, Rose Ring, Gail R. (Paine) Silver, Becky Michaud, and Jessie Heath.

With all the rain as of late, it looks like the lawns will need mowing again the next sunny day we get.

My lily is sure growing fast. It's up six inches and I can't wait for it to blossom. My mini-rose bush has four roses in full bloom and three more will open soon.

It's been one of those wait-a-minute days-lol-you know, if you don't like the weather wait a minute and it will change, although it can't make up its mind as to be sunny or rainy, it's still 70.9 degrees here today.

Condolences to the families of Peter Richards, Velma Jaaranen, Lisa M. Robare, Durwood McAllister Sr. Love and prayers to each family.

Gail Paine and Adam Silver exchanged wedding vows last week in Norway at the Universalist Church. Due to a medical issue and laid up for a few days we were unable to attend, but our love and best wishes were with them.

That's all this week from the valley.

Inspiration for the day:

Clean slates, fresh starts and new beginnings are always possible.

L.L. Bean presentation at BHS

On Saturday at 1:30 p.m., James Witherell, author of "L.L. Bean The Man and His Company: The Complete Story," will give a presentation and sign copies of his book at the Bethel Historical Society. The story begins with the Bean family (who lived for a time in Bethel), young Leon Leonwood Bean's love of the outdoors, his first forays into sales (butter, men's clothing), and then his development of "the boot" and the beginnings of an outdoors outfitting company that ran on a card file system and resisted change.

The story of L.L. Bean, Inc.'s phenomenal growth under grandson Leon Gorman is replete with Preppies, MBAs, infighting, and even parodies of a company that would eventually get its own Zip Code. Jim Witherell is a master Maine Guide and the creator of hiking maps for Acadia National Park and Baxter State Park.

Also an avid cyclist, he is the author of Bicycle History (McGraw) and working on a book about the Tour de France. This program celebrates the 100th anniversary of the L. L. Bean company; the author will be available afterward to sign copies of his 576-page book. The program is free and will take place in the Mason House exhibit hall at 14 Broad Street.

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LOCAL BROKER RECEIVES AWARD FROM NATIONAL COMPANY

Ron Therault, the owner of Summit Insurance & Financial Services LLC, has received two awards from Jackson National Life, a leading company to the area of Variable Annuities. The awards are "In recognition of your dedication and commitment in outstanding customer service and leadership in the Financial Services Industry." With this award comes the privilege of having a special team to assist Mr. Therault in all transactions with the company and it gives him access to a resource team to deal with advanced cases.

Mr. Therault has been in the Financial Services business for 20 years and currently offers securities through First Asset Financial Inc. FAF is located at 110 E. Iron Rd in Selina Kansas (782-8225-5050). FAF is a member of the FINRA and the SIPC. FAF and Summit Insurance & Financial Services are not under common ownership.

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Inman paintings at W.P. Library

The West Paris Library announces the opening of "Milt's Meandering," an exhibition of selected photographs and paintings of Milton (Milt) Inman. The public is invited to the opening reception on July 13 from 5 to 7 p.m. The exhibit will run through Oct. 15.

Milt Inman's interest in photography appeared early on. "I took my first pictures," he says, "with a Kodak Brownie. I didn't own a camera for quite a while, so I borrowed from anyone who would lend me one." Milt recalls that one memorable early photograph was of the train wreck by the feldspar mill in West Paris. He reckons he was 10 or 12 when that happened. His photographs now number in the thousands.

Milt's photographs vividly capture the wonder and beauty of the natural world, both at home and on his travels. Milt has always been an outdoorsman. "I always loved being outdoors," he recalls. "I fished from the time I was a little kid, every chance I could get." Hunting and skiing kept him in the outdoors as well. He has visited all of the U.S. states except Hawaii. "I've been to Alaska several times and to most of the Canadian Provinces," he says. His photographs have appeared in tourism promotions for the state of Maine.

Milt says that, when he leaves home, he usually takes a camera with him. "I always keep three or four cameras and a tripod ready in my living room" for those times that demand a quick response before the picture-perfect moment is lost.

He and his wife, Eleanor, live at "Camp Maplewood" on Hicks Pond in Greenwood City.

The West Paris Library is open from 1 to 6 p.m. Monday and Friday, from 1 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday.



Music Without Borders returns to Gould Academy

Internationally acclaimed pianists will perform at Gould Academy from July 3 to July 20 during Music Without Borders, an international piano festival directed by acclaimed Georgian-Russian pianist and professor, Dr. Tamara Poddubnaya. The festival is in its sixth year.

Public performances will take place throughout the festival at 7:30 p.m. every Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evening in the intimate Trustees Auditorium in the McLaughlin Science Center on the Gould campus.

Recitals typically include works by Brahms, Rachmaninov, Beethoven, Mozart and Liszt among other composing greats.

The first recital will take place on Tuesday, July 3. Recitals are free and are general admission. Seating is limited.

For up-to-the-minute scheduling or location changes, follow Gould on Twitter or watch the twitter feed on the Gould homepage.

Dr. Tamara Poddubnaya: A distinguished graduate of St. Petersburg's Rimsky-Korsakov Conservatory, Dr. Poddubnaya established herself as one of Russia's foremost keyboard artists and piano teachers. Renowned for her masterful command of a vast repertoire, she has performed to great acclaim in Europe and the United States. She frequently serves on juries at international piano competitions teaching and performing in Russia, the Netherlands, and in the United States, where she is Professor of Piano at the Long Island Conservatory and visiting professor at the Portland Conservatory of Music. Visit www.tamarapoddubnaya.com for more information.

Featured Artists: Several alumni of past festivals will return this season, including: Dimitar "Mitko" Dimitrov, 24, of Bulgaria now launching his concert career after completing graduate study in Amsterdam; Veselin "Vesko" Ninov, 21, of Bulgaria; Professor Poddubnaya's student at the Long Island Conservatory and prize-winner in competitions in Europe, Canada, and the U.S.; and Marlene McCarthy, from Hallowell, Maine, now studying at the Mannes School of Music.

Also returning is Farshad Tahvildar-Zadeh, a New Jersey resident who just completed his first year at Oberlin Conservatory, and Kevin Chen, 13, a junior-high student from Andover, Mass.

Attending their second Music Without Borders are Ilya "Ilyusha" Ishchenko, 17, of Buzuluk, Orenburg Province, Russia, and Christian Sanders and Elvire Boelee, from the Netherlands. All three students are prize-winners in European competitions and have studied with Dr. Poddubnaya at the Prins Claus Conservatorium in Groningen, the Netherlands.

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Honor roll

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The following students have been named to the AES honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 2011-2012 school year.

Grade 4

All A's: Lucinda Rothwell.

A's and B's: Emma Kruse, Chris Baker, Lizzi Cowles, Wyatt Williamson, Tyzel Richard, Kevin Lund-Briggs, Morgan Cropley, Abbey Landry.

All B's: Carly Stevens, Racheal MacKillop.

Grade 5

All A's: Bethany Laird. A's & B's: Payton Abbott, Elizabeth McLeod, Abigail Mink, Joe Dillon, Morgan Prentice, Bryce Koskela.

MCPHS DOCTORATE

Mallory Brown graduated with a Doctorate in Pharmacy on May 11, 2012 from the MCPHA, Boston, after completing the six-year program.

Mallory graduated as salutatorian of the Class of 2006 from Telstar Regional High School and with honors from MCPHS.

She is the daughter of Jody Brown of Harrison and Sootie Brown of Rumford. She has employment with CVS in the Boston area.

for, attained dean's list standing at the University of New England for spring semester 2012.

EMCC

Receiving dean's list status at Eastern Maine Community College, Hogan Road, Bangor, for Spring 2012 semester are: Thomas P. Borden Jr. of Bethel; Shaun A. Baker of Bryant Pond; Paige Crump of Waterford.

UTICA COLLEGE

Lindsay James of Newry made the dean's list at Utica College in New York for the Spring 2012 semester.

HUSSON COLLEGE

Andrew Whitney, son of Richard and Ellen Whitney of Bethel, was named to the Husson College dean's list for spring semester 2012.

Deans list

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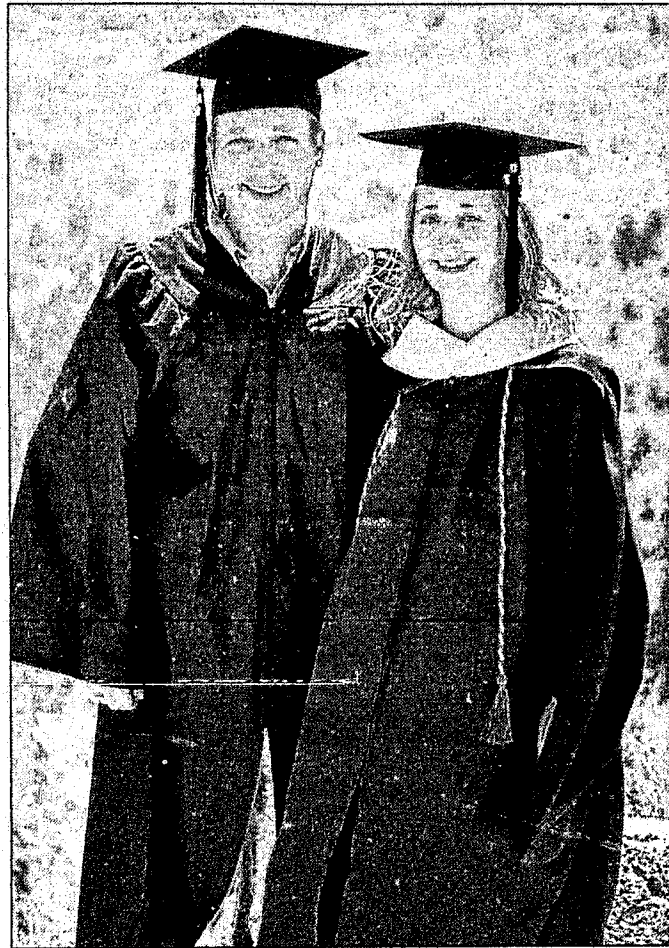
Alex W. Gundersen, son of Robert and Robin Gundersen, Woodstock, an Athletic Training ma-

Grads

HEBRON ACADEMY

Matthew Tanner Braley of Bethel graduated from Hebron Academy on May 26. Braley is an accomplished snowboarder who recently competed in the USASA National competitions in Copper, Colo. in late March. Braley won the Maine Mountain Series in giant slalom and took second in slalom. Braley is currently ranked fourth in the nation for giant slalom and stands fifth in slalom; he is ranked first in Maine in giant slalom and second in slalom. Braley is the son of Penny and Greg Braley of Bethel. He plans to attend the University of Maine at Farmington this fall.

Bryce William Richmond of Mason Township graduated from Hebron Academy on May 26. Richmond, an Eagle Scout, was a Highest Honors scholar and important asset to the varsity lacrosse and football teams. Richmond started his Hebron career as a member of the Middle School and is the son of Deborah and Dean Richmond. He plans to attend Elmira College (Elmira, N.Y.) this fall.



SIBLINGS RECEIVE DEGREES ON THE SAME DAY-Jillian Kimball graduated from Plymouth State University on May 19 with her Master's degree in Athletic Training and James Kimball graduated from Southern Maine Community College on May 20th with his Associates degree in Culinary Arts. John and Joan Kimball of Albany Twp. are the parents of the two Telstar High School graduates.

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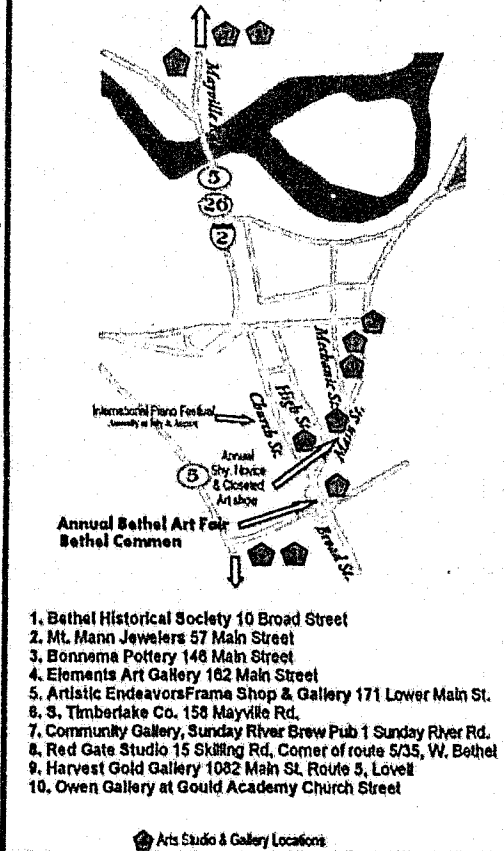
All events are held on Historic Bethel Common

- 9 AM-4 PM Artist and Artisan Exhibits
- 10 AM The Punch and Judy Puppet Show
- 11 AM-3 PM Lunch on the Common
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- 11 AM Arla Patch GALLERY TALK at Owen Gallery
- 11 AM Abbie Goldberg & Amalia Siegel
- Noon Art Fair Artist Winners Announced
- Noon Troubadour Brad Hooper
- 1 PM Harpist Conni St. Pierre
- 2 PM 9th Annual ARTirondack Auction
- 3 PM Blue Willow Jazz Band

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- July 6, 7:30pm 6th Music without Borders
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- July 7, 7:30pm 6th Music without Borders
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- July 7, 5-8pm Opening Reception for an Exhibit of Arla Patch's Work
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- July 7, 9am-4pm The 8th Annual Shy, Novice & Closeted Art Show
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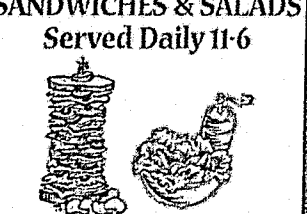
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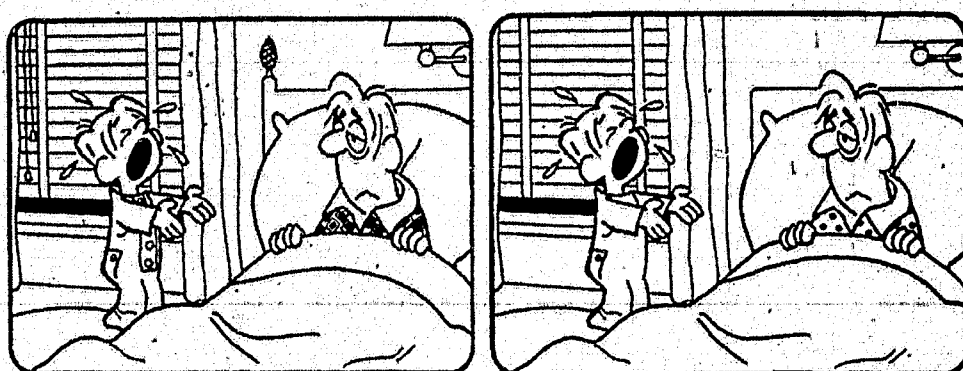
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BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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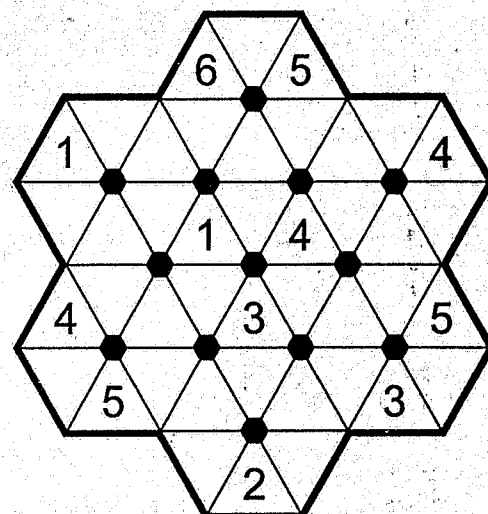
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SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the number 1-6 around each of them.

No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

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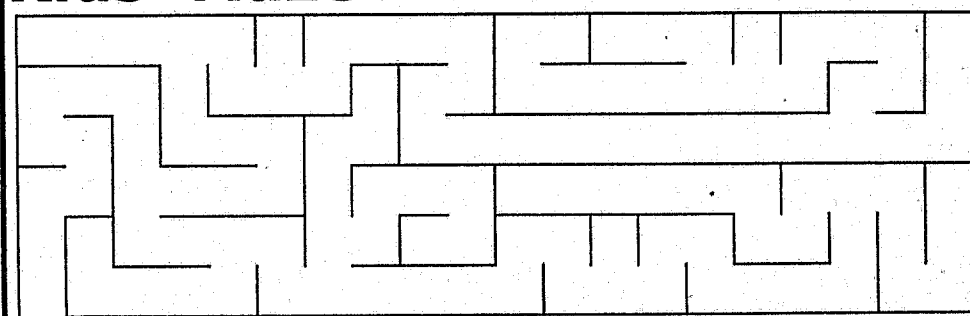
Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

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Amble
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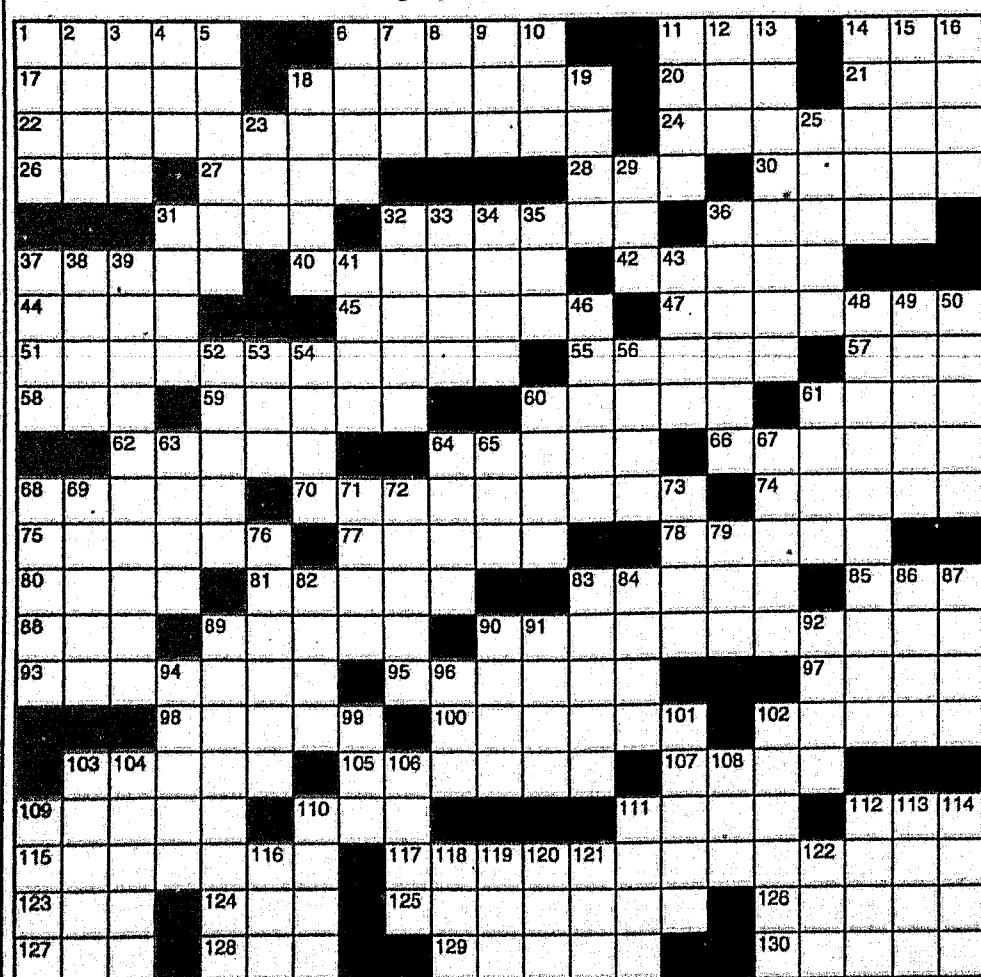


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Super Crossword

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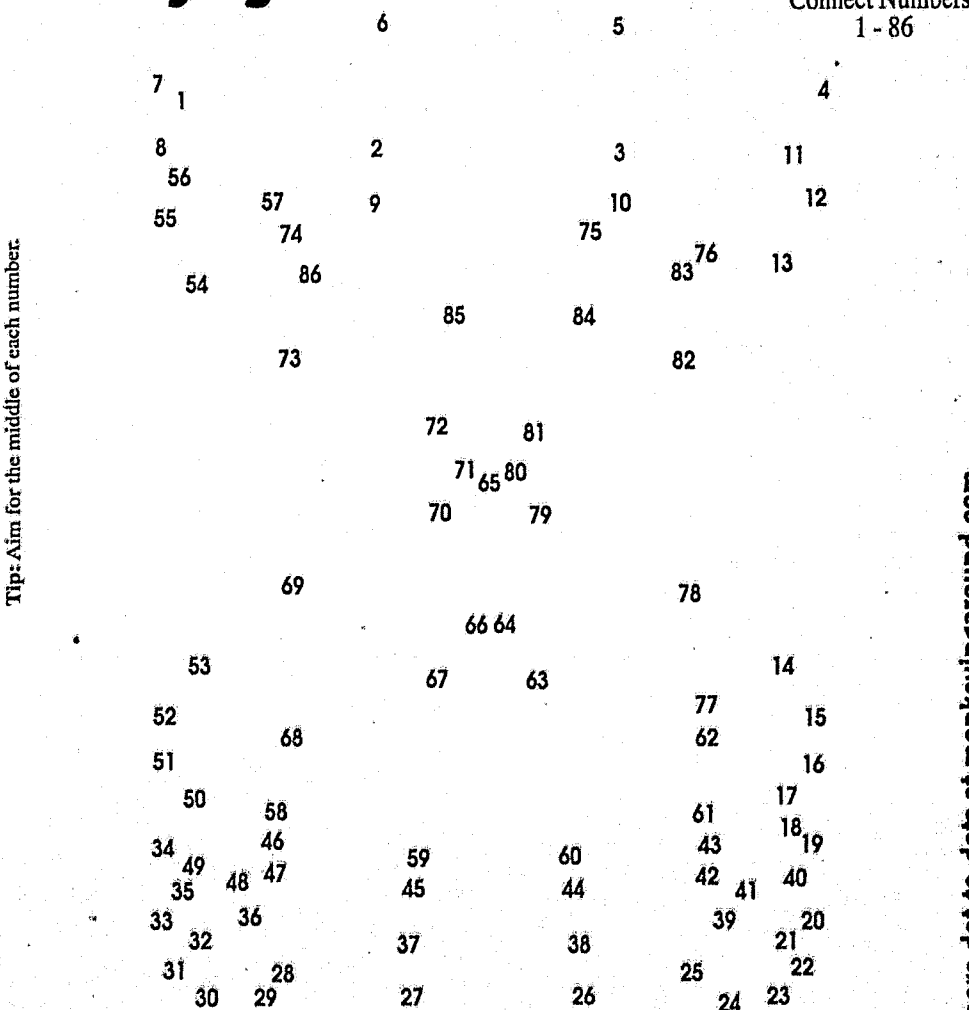
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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 Ladd or Lane</p> <p>6 Host a roast</p> <p>11 Kipling novel</p> <p>14 Social worker?</p> <p>17 Conductor Dorall</p> <p>18 In a perfect world</p> <p>20 Slangy suffix</p> <p>21 Norm</p> <p>22 Start of a remark by</p> <p>117 Across</p> <p>24 Northwest-ern capital</p> <p>26 "Day Nov" ('62 hit)</p> <p>27 Stallion's son</p> <p>28 Pom's perch</p> <p>30 — laugh</p> <p>31 Hound's handle</p> <p>32 Torah, e.g.</p> <p>36 '92 US Open champ</p> <p>37 What you've gotta have</p> <p>40 Acquire</p> <p>42 Harden</p> <p>44 — Romeo</p> <p>45 Spring holiday</p> <p>47 Side by side</p> | <p>51 Part 2 of remark</p> <p>55 Lamb product</p> <p>57 Vane dir.</p> <p>58 — tzu</p> <p>59 Boiling</p> <p>60 West</p> <p>61 Like — of bricks</p> <p>62 Austerity</p> <p>64 Austen hero</p> <p>66 German mark?</p> <p>68 Sierra —, CA</p> <p>70 All wet</p> <p>74 Terra firma</p> <p>75 Is useful</p> <p>77 Author</p> <p>78 Column style</p> <p>80 Claim</p> <p>81 Problem for Pauline</p> <p>83 Fernando or Lorenzo</p> <p>85 Rocker Nugent</p> <p>88 Herriot title start</p> <p>89 "Odyssey" enticer</p> <p>90 End of remark</p> <p>93 17 Across' title</p> <p>95 "The — Kid" ('84 film)</p> <p>97 Orthodox image</p> <p>98 Pants measurement</p> | <p>100 Study</p> <p>102 Slick one's neck out</p> <p>103 Sports-caster</p> <p>105 Classical</p> <p>107 Shopper's delight</p> <p>109 — in (tipped off)</p> <p>110 Shuffle-board stick</p> <p>111 TV's "Living"</p> <p>112 Hum bug?</p> <p>115 More</p> <p>117 Speaker of remark</p> <p>123 Hosp. area</p> <p>124 Erwin or Gilliam</p> <p>125 She handed</p> <p>126 Break off line</p> <p>127 Endorses</p> <p>128 Cast a spell</p> <p>129 Trepidation</p> <p>130 Neighbor of Oman</p> | <p>8 Baseball's Ripken</p> <p>9 Ransom — Olds</p> <p>10 Brownie, for one</p> <p>11 Former surgeon general</p> <p>12 Unwell</p> <p>13 Andy's area</p> <p>14 Tell's target</p> <p>15 They get hit on their heads</p> <p>16 Hors d'oeuvre holder</p> <p>18 Northern hemisphere?</p> <p>19 Scream</p> <p>23 Start to snooze</p> <p>25 Free-for-all</p> <p>29 "The Greatest"</p> <p>31 Munich Mrs.</p> <p>32 Iowa, e.g.</p> <p>33 "The Man in Black"</p> <p>34 Formal ceremony</p> <p>35 Like-minded</p> <p>36 Foster or Outback</p> <p>37 Rain hard?</p> <p>38 Lohengrin's love</p> <p>39 Priced right</p> <p>41 Leonine</p> <p>43 Highlyly agcy.</p> | <p>46 Show one's feelings</p> <p>48 Penguins' place</p> <p>49 Newfoundland's nose</p> <p>50 Fractional amount</p> <p>52 Actor Bruce</p> <p>53 To and —</p> <p>54 Galley features</p> <p>56 — terrier</p> <p>60 Pharmacy measure</p> <p>61 Jal —</p> <p>63 Spring flower</p> <p>64 Twofold</p> <p>65 Paul's "Exodus" role</p> <p>67 The Brainy Bunch?</p> <p>68 Lady of the house</p> <p>69 Spanish city</p> <p>71 Farm measure</p> <p>72 Use one's noodle</p> <p>73 Tiny coin</p> <p>76 Elan</p> <p>79 Lummo</p> <p>82 Desire</p> <p>83 Yoga position</p> <p>84 Pub orders</p> <p>86 North Carolina campus</p> <p>87 Unit of force</p> <p>122 Charge</p> | <p>89 Plymouth leader</p> <p>90 Small songbird</p> <p>91 Mata —</p> <p>92 Swampland</p> <p>94 Like Sauternes</p> <p>95 Mil. address</p> <p>99 Sweater letter</p> <p>101 Cosmetician</p> <p>102 "Patriot Games" author</p> <p>103 Thwart a blitz</p> <p>104 Sewell of "A Knight's Tale"</p> <p>106 — vu</p> <p>108 "Do — say, not . . ."</p> <p>109 Commercial award</p> <p>110 Pivotal point</p> <p>111 Ain't right?</p> <p>112 Put on a happy face</p> <p>113 In addition</p> <p>114 Genesis setting</p> <p>116 When the French fry</p> <p>118 Significant years</p> <p>119 — Tin Tin</p> <p>120 " — Doll" ('64 hit)</p> <p>121 Fabric arts.</p> |
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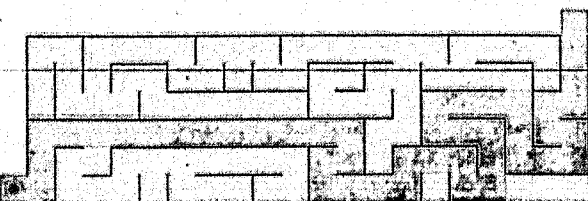
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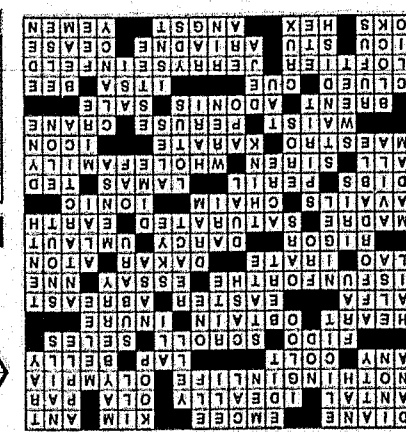
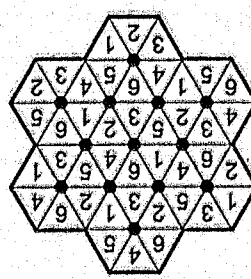
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Today's Word: Flown

Scramblers:
1. Baffle 2. Wander 3. Lance 4. Hope

ANSWERS:

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Community Calendar

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Thru Aug. 18

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2 to 4 p.m. - **Finnish-American Heritage Center Open House**, 8 Maple Street, West Paris (except Sunday, Aug. 19). Air conditioned and handicapped accessible.

Thursday, July 5

Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens meeting at the Grange Hall with program by Hugh (Cubby) Swan.

July 6, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21

7:30 p.m. - **"Sound of Music,"** Schoolhouse Arts Center, 45 Laskey Road, Windham (892-3050). Tickets: \$18 adults/\$15 students, Seniors/ \$12 for 12 and under available online www.schoolhousearts.org. Afternoon shows: July 8, 15 and 22 at 5 p.m.

July 6, 7, 8

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. - **Jeannette Belisle Annual Charity Yard Sale**, Upton House. Vendors, antiques, and lots of stuff. Donation items still coming in.

July 6 thru Aug. 4

17th Annual Source to the Sea Trek (18-day trips between July 6-Aug. 4). Organized by Androscoggin River Watershed Council begins with sunset paddle near Lake Umbagog, meander through northern New Hampshire and western Maine and end in Brunswick. Paddlers may join trip for one day or many. Schedule, maps, section descriptions, special events, and easy online registration available at www.androscogginwatershed.org.

Saturday, July 7

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. - **Demo Day**, Bethel Farmers Market. "The Gifts of Herbs - the benefit of herbs for health and cooking with Bonnie Pooley and Suzanne Dunham; What's in Season Cooking Demo with Cathi DiCoccolia. Brought by The Local Food Connection. FMI: Janet Bartlett 824-2250 or begrateful96@gmail.com.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. - **23rd Annual Bethel Art Fair**. Features 9th ARTironclad Chair Auction 2 p.m. at Bethel Bandstand. Honors Artist and Novelist Arla Patch with Solo exhibit Owen Art Gallery, Gould Academy, tour arts studios and galleries, etc. FMI: 824-3575.

The 8th Annual Shy, Novice and Closeted Art Show, which provides opportunity and encouragement for any shy, novice and/or closeted artist of Bethel and surrounding area, who would like to show their work(s) of art. This show accompanies the 23rd Annual Bethel Art Fair on Bethel Common. For more information on how to participate: www.squidoo.com/shy-art, janetwillie@yahoo.com, or 824-2889.

1:30 p.m. - **Bethel Historical Society** lecture/book signing by James Witherell, author of "L.L. Bean / The Man and His Company: The Complete Story" at Mason House Exhibit Hall. FMI: 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910 or e-mail info@bethelhistorical.org.

5 p.m. - **Public Bean Hole Supper**, Blazing Star Lodge, Route 232, Rumford Corner. Beans, hot dogs, coleslaw, macaroni salad, bread, coffee, punch, pie. Adults: \$10/under 12 \$5. Takeouts available. Stair on back stairs. FMI: Joe Roy 364-4715 (leave message).

5:30 p.m. - **Public Supper**, West Bethel Union Church, Route 2, West Bethel. Adults \$7/under 12 \$3. More suppers: Aug. 25 and Sept. 22.

8 p.m. - **"Please Don't Beat Me Up"** with award-winning comedian/storyteller Adam Ruben at Celebration Barn Theatre, 17 Turner Street, Buckfield. Tickets: \$14 adults/ \$12 seniors/ \$8 students available box office 743-8452. FMI: www.adamribem.net.

Saturdays, July 7, 14, 21, 28

7 to 10 p.m. - **Dance**, music by Jones Dance Band playing old-fashioned dance music at Legion Hall, Church Street, South Paris. Admission: \$5 adults.

July 7 and July 21

1 to 4 p.m. - **Scribner's Sawmill and Homestead**, Harrison, open for tours. Entrance: free; donations, however, go toward permitting process to establish a low head dam with a fishway for water-driven mill machinery.

Sunday, July 8

8 to 11 a.m. - **Upton Ladies Aid Breakfast**, Ladies Aid Building, Mill Road (next to church).

Noon to 1:30 p.m. - **Senior Citizen Appreciation Dinner**, Rumford Grange 115, Turkey, potato, vegetable, pickles, biscuit, homemade pie. Cost: 65 and older free/ adults \$8/under 12 \$3.50.

2 to 4 p.m. - **Open House**, Finnish-American Heritage Center, 8 Maple Street, West Paris. Museum, library, gift shop. Air conditioned, handicapped accessible.

Monday, July 9

10 a.m. to Noon - **Children's Photography Class**, Waterford Library, with Trish Logan of L&H Photography, LLC for ages 8-18. Children need to bring camera, drink and sack and wear comfortable walking shoe. If inclement weather class will be July 13. Pre-registration required before July 4. (at library, call 583-2050 or e-mail wla@waterford.lib.me.us.

Tuesday, July 10

4 p.m. - **St. Kieran Arts Center Performing Arts Series** presents IMAI Northward Bound Summer Chamber Concert. Tickets: \$12 adults/ \$6 students or by season ticket membership. FMI: (603) 752-1028 or visit office at 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H., or Facebook, or www.stkieranarts.org

5 to 9:30 p.m. - **Supper/Dance**, American Legion Hall, Locke Mills. Doors open 4 p.m. Supper: baked beans, baked chicken pieces, salads, bread, strawberry shortcake. Supper: \$7 adults/children \$3/supper and dance \$10. Dance music by Boulder Ridge.

7 p.m. - **Tar sands oil threat**, at the Bethel Inn Gibson Room. Public informational meeting on potential impacts to local rivers and global climate. FMI: kenhotopp@gmail.com

7:30 p.m. - **National Theatre of London's "Frankenstein,"** play by Nick Dear at Leura Hill Eastman Performing Arts Center, 18 Bradley Street, Fryeburg Academy. Tickets: \$18 adults/ \$15 seniors (65 plus)/ \$10 students. May be purchased at Box Office (935-9232) or online www.fryeburgacademy.org/pac.

7:30 p.m. - **Sprag Session Celtic Fusion**, Deertrees Theatre, 156 Deertrees Road, Harrison. Tickets: \$15 available at Box Office (583-6747) or purchase early at door.

Wednesday, July 11

8 a.m. - **Bethel Senior Citizens** meet Bethel Area Health Center for trip to Casco Bay/Portland. Cost: \$13 (lunch not included). Lunch after cruise at Country Buffet, Maine Mall, south Portland. Members should bring snacks. FMI or to sign up: Caroline (824-3226) or Arlene (824-2877).

Wednesdays, July 11 and 18

9 a.m. to Noon - **Veterans' Advocate** at Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris. He will not be there first Wednesday in July.

Thursday, July 12

7:30 p.m. - **"Thumbs Up"** touring show from Celebration Barn, Brick Church for the Performing Arts, 502 Christian Hill Road, Lovell. Tickets at door: \$10 (\$5 children 12 and under). FMI: 925-1500 or www.lovellbrickchurch.org.

7:30 p.m. - **St. Kieran Arts Center Performing Arts Series**, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H., presents CCFHS' RESPONSE program, sponsored by Music in the Great North Woods. Admission: donation. Program helps individuals/families who have experienced family violence and sexual assault. FMI: (603) 752-1028, or Facebook, or www.stkieranarts.org.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, July 12, 13 14

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. - **Norway Arts Festival**. Performance activity (11 a.m. to 3 p.m.) takes place at Beal's Parking Lot, corner Main and Cottage streets, downtown Norway. Main Street will be closed. FMI: www.norwayartsfestival.org

Thursdays, July 12 & 26, Aug. 9 & 23 and Sept. 6

5:30 p.m. - **Albany Church Supper**, Hunt's Corner, Albany, to benefit scholarship fund. Doors open 5 p.m. Cost: \$7 adult/ \$4 for 12 and under.

Friday, July 13

3 to 6 p.m. - **Artist Reception/Open House**, Harvest Gold Gallery, 1082 Main Street, Route 5, Center Lovell. FMI: 925-6502 or visit www.harvestgoldgallery.com. Gallery open daily.

5 to 7 p.m. - **"Milt's Meandering,"** exhibit of selected photographs and paintings of Milton (Milt) Inman at

West Paris Library. FMI: 674-2804.

Saturday, July 14

8 a.m. to 4 p.m. - **Treasure and Food Sale**, Meeting House, Rumford Center. FMI: 364-7457.

8:30 a.m. - **Community Lakes Association Annual Meeting**, Woodstock Town Office, Bryant Pond. Social time 8:30 a.m. and meeting 9 a.m. Food, info., socializing.

9 a.m. - **Mahoosuc Land Trust** Rumford Whitecap Gourmet Hike (anything beyond PBJ or gorp). Bring dish to share at top. Bring utensils, plate, drink. Don't forget water, snack, bug and sun protection. Meet parking lot East Andover Road, Rumford. FMI: 824-3806, e-mail info@mahoosuc.org or check www.mahoosuc.org for rescheduling.

6 p.m. - **Woodstock Historical Society** potluck supper/meeting at the Museum.

7 to 10 p.m. - **Swingin' Bears Square Dance Club** annual Ice Cream Social dance, Oxford Hills Middle School, Pine Street, South Paris. Admission: \$6 per person. 50/50 drawing, refreshments at intermission. FMI: Eleanor Herrick, 782-4050 or visit www.squaredanceme.us/

7:30 to 9:30 p.m. - **"Predators of the Night"** at Maine Wildlife Park, Gray. Regular admission fees. Nature Store and Snack Shack open. FMI: 657-4977.

8 p.m. - **Early Evening Show** with Michael Miclon at Celebration Barn Theatre, 17 Turner Street, Buckfield. Doors open 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$14 adults/ \$12 seniors/ \$8 students available at box office 743-8452. FMI: www.earlyeveningshow.com.

Saturday and Sunday, July 14 and 15

Oxford County Gem and Mineral Association Show, Telstar High School, Bethel. Saturday, 9 to 12 a.m. and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: \$2 for over 12/free for younger children. Norway VFW providing food. FMI: Randall Withee, Show Chairman (527-2938) or Club President Ken Briggs (665-2607).

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - **Quilt Show** by Chickadee Quilters of Bridgton at Stevens Brook Elementary School. Donation of \$5 appreciated. Vendor area, Chinese auction table, raffle quilt, etc., light refreshments. FMI: Chris (647-5197) or Sue (647-4107) or e-mail ChickadeeQuilters@gmail.com.

Tuesday, July 17

7:30 p.m. - **Sebago-Long Lake Music Festival** presents concert featuring works by Poulenc, William Bolcom Avner Dorman and Beethoven at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison.

Tickets: \$25 or \$100 for five concerts available at Bridgton Books, Harrison Library, Country Sleigh (Naples), Books N Things (Norway), Cry of the Loon (Casco), by phone: 583-6757.. FMI:

Tuesdays, July 17, Aug. 7, Sept. 11

2 to 4 p.m. - **McLaughlin Garden Power Propagators**. Volunteers meet in back corner of barn.

Wednesday, July 18

2 to 7 p.m. - **Blood Drive**, Telstar High School Gymnasium, sponsored by Parrott Head Club of the Northern Tropics. Maine residents who donate blood during July receive a Red Sox tee-shirt in honor of Fenway Park's 100th birthday. To schedule appointment, call (800) Red-Cross or visit www.redcrossblood.org.

Thursday, July 19

6 p.m. - **Bethel Dog Park** meeting at Mahoosuc Land Trust, Route 2 next door to Crossroads Diner.

7:30 - **Mollycoddett Chorus**, "Sentimental Journey," Brick Church for the Performing Arts, 502 Christian Hill Road, Lovell. Tickets at door: \$10 (\$5 children 12 and under). FMI: 925-1500 or www.lovellbrickchurch.org.

Thursday nights, July 19, Aug. 16, Sept. 20

5:30 to 7:30 p.m. - **Cruise Nites**, Breaux's Too, Woodstock Oil Parking Lot, Bryant Pond. FMI: 665-2554.

Saturday, July 21

7 to 10 a.m. - **Pancake Breakfast**, Bethel Masonic Lodge, Chapman Street. All proceeds to support Telstar Project Graduation. Cost: \$5 adults/children 12 and under free.

7:30 p.m. - **Maine Pro Musica** performance at Leura Hill Eastman Performing Arts Center, 18 Bradley Street, Fryeburg Academy. Tickets: \$25 adults/ \$20 seniors (65 plus)/ \$15 students. May be purchased at Box Office (935-9232) or online www.fryeburgacademy.org/pac.

Monday, July 23

8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. - **Safe Sitter Class**, Harper Conference Center, Ripley Medical Office Building, 193 Main Street, Norway. Cost: \$50. Scholarship available on request. FMI: 743-1562 Ext. 6951.

July 24, Aug. 14, Aug. 21

7 p.m. - **Mahoosuc Skye Celtic Series** performances at Bingham Auditorium, Gould Academy.

REGULAR MEETINGS AND EVENTS

MUNICIPAL

Bethel Selectmen: Second and fourth Mondays of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Bethel Planning Board: Second and fourth Wednesdays of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Bethel Water District: Third Tuesday of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Gilead Selectmen: Second Wednesdays of the month, 6 p.m., Town Office

Gilead Planning Board: First Thursdays of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Greenwood Selectmen: First and third Tuesdays of the month, 5 p.m., Town Office.

Hanover Selectmen: Third Tuesday of the month, 6 p.m. unless otherwise posted.

Hanover Planning Board: First Wednesday, 6 p.m.

Newry Selectmen: First and third Mondays of the month, 5:30 p.m., Town Office.

Newry Planning Board: First and third Wednesdays of the

month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Woodstock Selectmen: First and third Tuesdays, 5 p.m., Town Office.

Woodstock Planning Board: First and third Tuesdays, 7 p.m., Town Office

SAD 44 School Board: Second and fourth Mondays of the month, 7 p.m., Telstar High School (occasionally meet at other schools; call 824-2185 for info).

ORGANIZATIONS

Bethel

First Sunday of month, 7 p.m.—Bethel Snow Twisters at 208 Walkers Mills Rd.

Third Sunday of each month, 9 a.m. - Breakfast open to the public at no charge at Bethel Church of the Nazarene.

Wednesdays, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.— TOPS at Bethel Alliance Church (weigh-in 5:30-6).

Thursdays, 10 to 11 a.m.—Story Time for Children at Bethel Library (story plus craft) with participating mothers. October thru April. FMI: call 824-2520.

Second Thursday of the month, 10 a.m. to noon; fourth

Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.—Cross Country Quilters of Pine Tree Quilt Guild of Maine meet at Moses Mason House Barn, corner of Broad and Mason streets, Bethel. All quilters welcome. FMI e-mail Pat McCartney at p_quilts@yahoo.com or call Kathy Thrall at 824-3111.

Saturdays, 11:30 a.m. - Guided One-Hour Walking Tour of Historic Bethel Hill. Meet at bell tower on north end of common. Free but donations accepted. FMI: 824-2908.

Woodstock

Second Saturday of month, 6 p.m.—Woodstock Historical Society meeting at the Museum.

Norway/Paris

Mondays, 8:30 p.m.—Hillsmen Barbershop Chorus rehearses at Catholic Church, Norway, New singers welcome. FMI: call Dr. Tere Porter 743-0656 evenings or Pat Fleck at 647-5005

Wednesdays, 7 to 9 p.m. The Yet To Be Named Banjo Clut practices in the Commons Room of the Fare Share Market 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists invited to join Public welcome. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.

Fridays 9:15 a.m.—Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge, Norway For more information, call Les Buzzell at 783-4153 or 754-9153 or e-mail: buzz116@myfairpoint.net.



NEW OFFICERS OF AMERICAN LEGION POSTS 68 and 81-From left: Wayne Hakala, Mike Gionet, Ken Hoyt, Daniel Grover, Richard Wakefield, Del Wilson, Bob Everett, Bill Mahoney, Dan Whitman, Bob McCartney.



AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY OFFICERS- Carol Everett, Jeri Greenwell, Mona Grover, Nesta Littlefield.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 a.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church - Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 to 11 a.m. followed by brunch. All welcome. FMI - 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff; Morning worship 10:45 - noon. Wednesday prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. Rt. 5, South Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church - Rev. Kevin Bellinger, Pastor. Sundays: Sunday school for adults and children at 9 a.m.; Worship Service at 10 a.m.; Kidz Klub (4 yrs.-5th grade) and High School Youth Group (9th-12th grade) at 4:30-6:30 p.m. Thursdays: Middle School Youth Group (6th-8th grade) at 5 p.m. FMI: 824-2289.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene - Rev. Chuck Mason, 16 Church Street, Bethel. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. A.M. Worship, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Bible study and Prayer, 6 p.m. Third Sunday of each month at 9 a.m., breakfast open to the public at no charge. For information or if you need a ride or have a prayer request: 824-4028.

Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Savior, Our Lady of the Snows - 265 Walk-

ers Mills Road (Rt. 26), The Rev. Philip Tracy. Saturday Mass, 6 p.m. Office 364-4556, announcements 824-2933.

Episcopal House Church - Third Sunday of the month, 4 p.m. FMI: 824-3932.

West Parish Congregational - Church Street, Rev. Virginia Rickeman, Pastor. Sundays: 10 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery and child care provided. Tuesdays: 8 a.m., informal Prayer Group with coffee in the Chapel. All are welcome. First Wednesday of the month: 8 a.m., Mens' Breakfast in the Dining Room downstairs. Entrance in rear of church. Thursdays: 7 p.m. Choir Practice in the Sanctuary. New voices welcome. FMI: 824-2689; 824-0550.

United Methodist - Main Street - Pastor Carol Stevens. Sunday worship 9 a.m. Bible Study 1:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at Sudbury Village, Apt. 15. FMI: 824-0797.

West Bethel Union - Rev. John Williams. Morning worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. FMI: 836-3533 or 836-2882.

Pleasant Valley Bible Pastor Dave Fraher. Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship Service, 10 a.m.. Ladies Bible study Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. Midweek Bible study and prayer, Wednesday 6 p.m. Awa-na Club Fridays 3:30-5 p.m. (Cubbies ages 3/4; Sparks Grades K-2; children may take bus from school). Monthly Youth Group meetings and Grades 3- high school. FMI: 836-2828.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's

Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Sunday: Bible class, 9 a.m.; Worship Service 10 a.m. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m. FMI: 824-3577.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. FMI: 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish Churches in Stoneham and North Waterford - Services at 10 a.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church (UCC), located on the Five Kezars Road, off Routes 35 & 37, opposite Melby's Market. (North Waterford and East Stoneham Congregational Churches will hold their joint services in the church on Route 5 in East Stoneham during May.) Services held at North Waterford through the winter months. Choir practice 9 a.m., followed by Bible Study at 9:15 a.m.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Pastor Sondra Withey. Sunday Morning Service and Sunday School, 9 - 10 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd/Rt. 118 (catercorner to Norway Country Club), Norway. Call 824.4099 FMI or ride.

Trinity Lutheran Church

Route 117, S. Paris. Pastor Ray Mitchell. Sunday morning service 9 a.m. (summer) with coffee, refreshments and good fellowship. Bible Study, Wednesdays 7 p.m.

North Paris Federation - Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singspiration third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Norway. Sunday services: 8 a.m. and 10 a.m., Holy Eucharist. 743-6782; e-mail christch@megalink.net.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's - Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m. FMI 743-2828.

GORHAM, N.H.

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.. FMI 603-466-2851.

Gorham Congregational Church - Sunday morning worship, 10 a.m. All welcome; free coffee. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-466-2136.

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass. **Our Lady of Ransom**: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass.

RUMFORD

St. Barnabus Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Savior, St. Athanasius and St. John - 125 Main Ave.. The Rev. Philip Tracy. Saturday Mass, 4 p.m.; Sunday Mass, 9:30 a.m.; Week-day Mass, 8 a.m. Office 364-4556.

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. 986 Prospect Ave. Adult and teen Sunday school 9 a.m. Sunday worship service at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesday night Bible study 6:45 p.m. FMI call 364-3856 or see our website at www.praiseassemblyofgod.net.

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, 8:30 a.m., followed by coffee and refreshments.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

First Universalist Church - Sunday services, 9 a.m., Sept. to June.

West Paris Baptist - 15 Church St. Sunday Worship-9:45 a.m.; Sunday School-11 a.m.; Word of Life Youth- 6 p.m.; Word of Life Olympians (kids club) -6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study-7 p.m.; Ladies' ministry, food pantry, third Saturday of month. Pastor Scott Randolph, 376-6854.

Mission Congregational Church - Wallace Farnum, pastor. Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Matt Jones, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6 p.m.; Wednesdays: Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Greg Carlson (207-527-2551), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. FMI: 824-8669.

SUPPORT SERVICES

SAFE VOICES

Safe Voices serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

AA MEETINGS/ADDICTION HELP

Bethel Freedom Group. Open Discussion Meeting. Saturdays at 4:30 in the Snow Cap Inn conference room, next to the fitness room. Sunday River. Seasonal, Thanksgiving through April 1. Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, Main Street. 12 Step/Traditions Meeting Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street. Open Discussion Meeting Fridays at 6 pm at Bethel United Methodist Church, Main Street.

People in recovery from alcohol/drug addiction may need to move to a Next Step group. Open to everyone who feels they may benefit from a change. FMI: Laurence Austin at 824-4077 (calls confidential)

Adult Children of Alcoholics and Dysfunctional Families (ACOA or ACA) meeting at Waterford Library (Route 37 across

from the Commons) Thursdays, 10 to 11 a.m. All welcome. FMI call 739-9115.

CANCER WELLNESS

Support and Education for cancer patients, survivors and caregivers. Every Thursday, 1:30-3 p.m. Rumford Hospital, Room 357. (877) 336-7287. Call to confirm in stormy weather.

EXCHANGES/PANTRIES

Clothing Exchange, Bethel Park, 23 Mason Street, Bethel. Hours: Monday 1 to 4, Thursday 4 to 6, Saturday, 10 to 12 a.m. Donations of gently-used clothing only accepted during open hours. No exceptions. 824-4090. Clothing may also be dropped off at Northeast Bank on Main Street.

HELP FOR THE HOMELESS

Rumford Group Homes, Inc. operates three homeless shelters, a transitional living program for youth 18-21, homeless youth outreach and case management services for adults and children. Emergency shelter includes the South Paris Men's Shelter, the Norway Family Center for women and children in crisis, and our Rumford Family Center in Rumford for families. To make a referral or request help in the South Paris area, call 743-6363 or call 869-9439 for help in the Rumford area M-F 9 a.m.-5 p.m. For more information on Rumford Group Homes, Inc. call 364-3551 or visit www.rumfordgrouphomes.org.

MENTAL ILLNESS

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5 p.m.; Tuesday 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; Wednesday 1 a.m.-8 p.m.; Wednesday 3-8 p.m.; Friday 2-7 p.m.; Saturday 1 a.m.-4 p.m. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m. For more information call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

VETERANS' SERVICES

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, Veterans' Advocate visits first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300) Rumford 9-12 noon second Thursday at VA Clinic at 431 Franklin St. (369-3272). Maine Veterans' Services is located at 21 Westminster St., Lewiston (783-5306). (No visits in July)

MULTIPLE SERVICES

Community Concepts provides Oxford County Head Start childcare, free rides to Maine Care appointments, subsidized apartments (Bethel, Brownfield, Fryeburg, Norway, Rumford South Paris), affordable home-ownership opportunities, home less shelter and assistance with home heating or weatherizing FMI: call (800) 866-5588 or visit www.community-concepts.org.

LIBRARY HOURS

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday 1-4:30 pm; Thursday 1-4:30 & 6-8 pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9-1; Tuesday 1-5; Wednesday 1-8; Thursday & Friday 1-5 Saturday, 9-1. Story Hour Thursdays, 9 to 10 a.m., October to May. Tel: 824-2520.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel: 665-2505. Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 5 p.m.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-6; Wednesday 1:30-7; Friday 1:30-6; Saturday 10-2. Patty Makley, Librarian. Tel: 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 9-3; Thursday, 5-8; Saturday, 9-noon.

Calendar items

may be brought to the Citizen office, e-mailed to news@bethelcitizen.com or faxed 824-2426. DEADLINE IS MONDAY AT NOON

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Material to be used will be subject to the Road Foreman's approval.

For further information you may contact the Town Garage at 665-2392 or the Town Office at 665-2668.

Bids are due at the Town Office on or before 5:00PM on Tuesday July 17, 2012.

The Selectmen reserve the right to accept or reject all or any bids.

Woodstock Board of Selectmen

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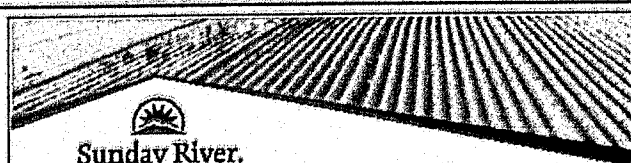


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Obituaries

VERA LYDIA CROSS

Vera Lydia Cross, 93, of Greenwood, died Thursday, June 28, 2012 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

She was born Jan. 3, 1919, on Rowe Hill in Greenwood, the youngest youngest child of Elton L. and Mabel C. (Morgan) Dunham. She married Charles Everett Cross on Jan. 23, 1938, and they settled on Howe Hill in Greenwood. After years of spending summers on their hillside farm and winters in Locke Mills, in 1968 they bought a house in the village, where Vera would live for the rest of her life. Everett died June 11, 1985.

In her early life Vera took care of children and kept house for their mothers. She was later employed at Ekco Wood Products in Locke Mills, and in her retirement years worked in the day care center at the Mount Abram ski lodge.

Vera was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary for more than 66 years. She served for many years as treasurer of the Jackson-Silver Post, and for five decades as the unit's Poppy Chairwoman. She was also a past president of the Oxford County Council, American Legion and Auxiliary. She was a long-time member of the Locke Mills Union Church and visited local nursing homes as a member of the church's visiting committee. She was also a member of the Ladies Circle, the Locke Mills Community Club and the Greenwood Historical Society.

Vera never slowed until the last days of her life, and never ceased to be a positive and cheerful presence in the lives of her family, friends and neighbors. Though she

had no children of her own, she was dearly loved by her nieces and nephews, and was the honorary matriarch of the Dunham and Cross families. She was "Aunt Vera" to generations of children beyond her family.

She is survived by many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, July 5, at the Jackson-Silver Post 68 American Legion, Gore Road, Greenwood rather than at the Locke Mills Union Church as previously announced. Burial will be in the family lot at Riverside Cemetery, Bethel. Rather than sending flowers, the family respectfully requests memorials be made to the Locke Mills Union Church, Greenwood, or to the Jackson-Silver Post Auxiliary.

IRA A GAMMON JR.

Ira Augustus Gammon Jr., 71, died Thursday, June 28, 2012 at his home on the Norton Road, Dixfield, with his loving family by his side.

He was born in Peru on May 23, 1941, the son of Ira and Mary (Lufkin) Gammon Sr. and had attended schools in Andover and Peru. At a very young age he left school and went to work in logging, using a horse-drawn team for hauling. He built a successful business working several years for International Paper and Seven Is-

lands.

He had a great interest in registered cattle and training oxen for the fairs, where he was a familiar figure and won many ribbons and trophies. He enjoyed wheeling and dealing and usually got the best deal. He also enjoyed gardening and reading and had a great sense of humor.

Ira was a man of many talents, whether building construction or keeping the skidders in good running condition for logging. He was married in Steep Falls on June 5, 1999, to Joyce Stiles Gammon, who survives of Dixfield.

Other survivors include daughter, Lori Kersey and husband Leo III of Dixfield; grandchildren, Brooke, Erik and Leo Kersey IV of Dixfield and Rosie Arsenault of Canton; stepchildren, Nick Rossi and wife Patricia of Casco, Peter Rossi and companion Debbie Farrah of Bridgton and Lori Marier and husband Marc and their daughter Juliette of Hong Kong; brothers, Clifford of Peru and Frank Gammon of Andover; sisters, Mary Bailey and husband, Clarence and Marilyn White of Andover; and several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by a son, Kevin Gammon of Andover; and stepson, Pat Rossi of Raymond.

Friends are invited to share their thoughts, condolences and memories

online at www.meaderandson.com.

Graveside services were conducted 11 a.m. Monday, July 2, at the Demeritt Cemetery, West Peru, with Pastor Ken Wagstaff officiating.



KENNETH C. SWAN.

Kenneth C. Swan, 85, of Paris Hill died Monday July 2, at his home with his loving family by his side.

He was born in Woodstock, Maine on December 17, 1926 the son of Porter and Verna (Whitman) Swan. He graduated from Woodstock High School in 1945. After High School Ken faithfully served his country by enlisting in the United States Army. After the military he worked for Goodwin's Dairy as a short order cook. On October 1, 1950 he married Nellie Lapham. He drove truck for Ellis Kahkonen for awhile before going to work for Bolsters installing carpet. In 1978 he started his own business

known as Ken & Fred's. Then in 1994 the business was changed to Ken & Thoms, Ken retired in 1999 selling the business to Thom.

Ken loved to take trips to Boothbay and Bar Harbor, he loved to fish at Newsoudehunc, Little Kennebago, and Grand Lake Stream.

Ken has been a member of the First Congregational Church of South Paris since 1966, where he was a member of the choir, he was also a member of the Barbershoppers, the Lock Mills Union Church Christmas Cantata and an honorary member of the McGregor family.

The family would like everyone to send a special memory that you might have of Ken to Nellie or just bring it to the visiting hours or the funeral.

Ken is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, a daughter Linda (Swan) Mitchell and husband Vernon, and a son Alan Swan. Two sisters Mrs. Donald (Andrea) Hoyt and Mrs. Arlene McKillop. A brother Keith Swan. Special Aunt Clara Whitman, granddaughter Katie Swan, step-grandchildren Dale Mitchell, Vance Mitchell and Bart Mitchell, many cousins, nieces and nephews.

Family and friends are invited to attend visiting hours on Thursday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. at Oxford Hills & Weston Funeral Services, 1037 Main

Street, Route 26 Oxford. Funeral services will be held on Friday at 1 p.m. at the First Congregational Church in South Paris with the Rev. Donald Mayberry officiating. Interment follows at the Hillside Cemetery in South Paris. In lieu of flowers donations for a memorial fund for the First Congregational Church may be sent to the First Congregational Church, 17 East Main Street, South Paris, Maine 04281. Online condolences or memories may be expressed to the family at www.oxfordhillsfuneralservices.com

Births

Samuel Moby Myers was born March 6, 2012 at the Corniche Hospital, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, weighing 3.4 kg and was 50 cm long.

Moby is the son of Michelle and Clint Myers, formerly of Bethel and Bryant Pond, and the grandson of Robyn and Percy McInnis and Bill and Vicky Myers, all of Bryant Pond.

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Public Hearing

Town of Woodstock, Maine

The Woodstock Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday July 17, 2012 at 6:00 PM at the Town Office to take comments on the July 1, 2012 & June 30, 2013 Appendixes A, B, & C as revised for the General Assistance Ordinance as established by Maine General Assistance law (Title 22 MRSA 4305(4)).

These appendixes establish the amount of general assistance that is available to qualifying citizens for housing, food, heating and utilities.

A copy of the document is on file at the Woodstock Town office.

Board of Selectmen
Woodstock, Maine

PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 -- a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on July 10, 2012, at the Bethel Town Office to consider a Liquor License renewal from The Gideon Hastings House, located at 22 Broad Street. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office or email at info@bethelmaine.org
Christen Mason
Town Clerk

TOWN OF BETHEL PUBLIC HEARING

The Bethel Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 10, 2012 at 7 PM at the town office to receive public input and discuss proposed amendments to the General Assistance ordinance. For more information on this amendment, please contact the Bethel Town Office at (207) 824-2669 or by email at info@bethelmaine.org.

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